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## The Morning Star.

### OUTLINES.

Department report shows the average condition of cotton 77.2 as compared with 81.1 last month. ——The Dowager Empress of Germany died at 7:15 last evening. —— Miguel Malvar, successor to Aguinaldo has issued a proclamation to the Filipinos. —— The exposition building at Kansas City, Mo., erected in 1887, was destroyed by fire yesterday. —— Twenty persons killed and as many more injured by an explosion and fire last night in Philadelphia. —— W. J. Ligon, sanitary inspector at Jackson, Miss., shot and killed David L. Shelton. —— Conductors and motormen in Louisville, Ky., are on a strike for higher wages. —— Chief of police of Shelby, N. C., killed by a negro he was trying to arrest. —— New York markets: Money on call steady at 2@2½ per cent, the last loan being at 2 per cent.; cotton quiet, middling uplands 8 L16c; flour was fairly active and a shade firmer with wheat; wheat—spot firm, No. 2 red 77¼c; corn—spot steady; No. 2 61¼c; oats—spot firm; No. 2 39c; rosin quiet; spirits turpentine steady at 36@36¼c.

### WEATHER REPORT.

U. S. DEP'T OF AGRICULTURE, WEATHER BUREAU, WILMINGTON, N. C., Aug. 4

Temperatures: 8 A. M., 80 degrees; 8 P. M., 80 degrees; maximum, 89 degrees; minimum, 75 degrees; mean, 82 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .00; rainfall since 1st of the month to date, 1.66 inches.

COTTON REGION BULLETIN.

High temperatures have prevailed in the western districts, the highest being reported from Texas. Showers have fallen in nearly all districts.

FORECAST FOR TO-DAY.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 4.—For North Carolina:—Rain Tuesday and in eastern portion Wednesday; cooler Tuesday on the coast, warmer in the interior; fresh east to northeast winds, becoming variable.

**Port Almanac---August 6.**

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| Sun Rises | 5.11 A. M. |
| Sun Sets | 7.01 P. M. |
| Day's Length | 13 H. 52 M. |
| High Water at Southport | 11 43 A. M. |
| High Water Wilmington | 2.13 P. M. |

### THE PROPOSED BOND ISSUE.

The Board of Aldermen, by a vote of six to four, decided at its meeting yesterday, to submit to the qualified voters of the city the question of issuing one hundred thousand dollars in bonds for establishing a system of sewerage.

The STAR has interposed no objection to allowing the people to vote on this question; nor does it oppose municipal ownership of certain utilities in the abstract. But it does oppose any increase in the bonded debt of the city at this time for any purpose whatever.

Some Southern papers are still talking about closing the "bloody chasm." Considering the number of times the chasm has been closed, doesn't this look like too much repeating?

One of the accusations against Admiral Schley is that he was "too slow." Maybe he was slow, but that didn't prevent him from getting there in pretty good shape. Better be slow and sure than fast and foolish.

Dr. Besson, of Berlin, has been getting out of the heat of the town by airing in his balloon. At his last outing, or upping, he went up 33,500 feet where the temperature was 40 degrees below zero. Good place to cool off.

Harvey W. Wiley, chemist in the U. S. Agricultural Department, has discovered the wholesale use of poisonous adulterations in the staple articles of food, poisons that may not kill at once but are sure to get in their injurious if not fatal work in time.

Some investigator makes the assertion that the waste from bad cooking in this country amounts to $1,000,000,000 a year. That doesn't cover it either, for it doesn't include doctors' and medicine bills, undertakers' charges, and sundry other expenses, resulting from bad cooking.

The New Jersey mosquito is a tough customer. The latest charged to it is that it fills up on the kerosene thrown about to destroy it, and is then just as apt as not to fly over a lamp, catch a-fire and start a blaze. What are people going to do with a critter like that?

Mr. W. T. Wright, of Nebraska, insisted that the right way to get rain was to shoot for it. Wednesday night he had twenty-four mortars planted four miles from Lincoln, with which he bombarded the heavens at intervals of a minute between shots. He will probably succeed as he declares he will keep up the shooting until the rain comes. At last accounts it had not come.

## SEWERAGE FRANCHISE

### Afforded Another Lively Meeting of the Board of Aldermen Yesterday Afternoon.

### ELECTION ON BOND ISSUE.

**Called to be Held September 5th—Amount ofCertificates Will be $100,000; Not Exceeding 5 Per Cent. Interest. Aye and Nay Vote.**

Once again did the Board of Aldermen delve in the sewerage proposition yesterday afternoon and once again has it been decided to hold an election on the question of municipal ownership. The date for the "vote of the people" is September 5th, and the amount of bonds proposed to be issued is $100,000. The discussion lasted for a little more than an hour and there were perhaps fifty spectators outside the railing in the Mayor's office when the vote of six to four was recorded on the proposition.

Present at the meeting were Mayor Waddell, Aldermen Skinner, Maunder, Harriss, Bailey, Mann, VonGlahn, Parker, Johnson, West and Spencer, City Attorney Bellamy, City Superintendent of Health Harper, City Engineer Jos. H. McRee and others.

The sewerage debate was not reached until after all the remaining business had been disposed of.

It began with the reading of a petition from some 175 or 200 citizens asking for a submission of the question to the people. Aldermen Parker led off with a motion to hold the desired election on September 12th. Alderman Johnson supplemented the motion with an exhaustive resolution providing for the election on September 5th, same to be held under the Act of 1891. The resolution was practically the same in text and substance as that one published when the election was first called and subsequently called off several weeks ago. The resolution provides for the floating of the $100,000 bonds in the denomination of $500 each, maturing in 30 years and bearing a rate of interest not to exceed 5 per cent. The document also provides for a tax on all connections to pay interest on the bonds and provide a sinking fund for the retiring of the bonds at the expiration of the thirty years. Mr. Johnson supplemented his motion by saying that in the manner of deriving the revenue as prescribed only the beneficiaries of the system would contribute to the payment for the installation of the plant.

Mayor Waddell called attention to the fact that the ordinance did not say at what premium or decrease the bonds should be sold. Mr. Johnson amended the document, providing the sale of the bonds at par, and still later amended the resolution by appropriating $500 to defray the expense of holding the election.

Alderman Harriss questioned the validity of an election to be held before the next regular municipal election.

At this juncture a motion for a recess of ten minutes prevailed and the room resolved itself into a caucus between different factions on the board and their friends.

Upon the reassembling, the Mayor inquired if it would not be in order to hear from a special committee appointed at the last meeting to treat with the several sewerage companies and advise among themselves as to a settlement of the question. This suggestion was not then entertained, and Alderman Mann spoke at some length as to his position on the proposition, saying that he was in favor of municipal ownership, but he did not want the people of his ward to pay tax for a system from which they derived no benefit, it being a well known fact that the Fifth ward has no system of water works. Furthermore, he said, the city owned no system of water works, and he desired to know what it would cost the city for "flush" water. He directed his inquiries to Alderman Johnson, who, when Mr. Mann finished speaking, stated that it was his desire that only those who connected with the sewer pay for the interest on the bonds and into the liquidation fund. As to water, if the Clarendon water works would not give equitable rates it would be the duty of the city to put in its own system of water works, just as it proposed in the matter of sewerage.

Aderman Mann objected to the mode of procedure. He thought the city should begin at the bottom and go to the top; not begin at the top and go to the bottom.

Alderman Parker spoke again in favor of a popular vote and Mayor Waddell stated in explanation that if the bonds were floated, the whole property of the city would stand good for them and not that portion of it which required sewer benefit. There could be no discrimination even should the board so enact; it would be unconstitutional.

Alderman Harriss expressed himself in favor of municipal ownership but he wanted it according to law and asked the City Attorney's advice as to the legality of the proposed election.

Mr. Bellamy very clearly stated the legal status of the case by saying that he had given the matter careful consideration and was thoroughly convinced that any election for this purpose prior to the next regular municipal election would be absolutely illegal; that not only from the express wording of the act, but also from the context it was clearly evident that the General Assembly intended that the question should only be submitted when there was a regular municipal election; that the reason was obvious, as an election necessarily entailed a large expenditure of money, (as in this case over $300). The Legislature, prompted by a spirit of economy, had wisely inserted that clause so as to prevent frequent elections.

Mr. Bellamy stated also that the question of sewerage could not be alone submitted to the people under the act, but would necessarily have to be submitted conjointly with the question of street improvement, as the law expressly provides that there shall be two ballots, one for "Street Improvements" and the other for "Sewerage," the voter to use his choice as to which he will vote for. "The idea of the Legislature," he said, "was evidently to give the citizens the choice of spending their money for one of two things, "Street Improvements" or "Sewerage;" that he was absolutely positive as a matter of law that if the election was held at any other time than at a regular municipal election such election would be void. He said further that this was his legal opinion which he geve in his official capacity as city attorney regardless of his own personal views and that he desired to be so placed on record in the event litigation should follow as he believed the Supreme Court would sustain his views.

Alderman Johnson read the law and took issue with Mr. Bellamy, saying that some of the best attorneys in the city were of a contrary opinion to those expressed by Mr. Bellamy.

Alderman Maunder then called for the report of the special committee spoken of above and the vote as to whether it should be received was lost, Alderman Maunder, West and Skinner alone voting for the report.

The vote was then called upon Mr. Johnson's election proposition and the same was carried, six to four, Aldemen Johnson, Parker, VonGlahn, Mann, Harriss and Bailey voting aye, Aldermen Maunder, Skinner, West and Spencer voting nay.

There was a relief from the tension to which the meeting had been drawn when the vote was all over and a report from the special committee was called. A majority report signed by Messrs. Maunder, and Skinner was handed to the clerk and Alderman Harriss handed in a minority report. The minority report was that the contract with the Wilmington Sewerage Company as embodied in the majority report be referred to the Board of Audit and Finance for consideration.

The majority report recommended the acceptance of the contract of the Wilmington Sewerage Company to construct a system as had been previously adopted with the concessions that all city public school buildings and fire engine houses be furnished with service free of cost. A further concession is:

"That all the net earnings of said company in excess of the amount required to pay operating expenses, interest on bonds, and such an amount as may be necessary to create a sinking fund sufficient in amount to redeem the bonds of said company at maturity and a dividend of six per cent per annum on the capital stock of the said company, shall be paid to the city as a part consideration for this contract.

"That for the general protection of the interest of the city under this contract, the said city of Wilmington shall have the power and is hereby authorized to nominate and appoint one director in said company and the said sewerage company hereby agrees to elect the official appointee for that purpose, who shall serve as a member of the Board of Directors of said company.

"That in the event it shall become necessary for the city or other proper authorities for sanitary reasons to condemn any private sewer or sewers, or in the event any of the owner or owners of any private sewer or sewers should desire to surrender the said sewer or sewers to said company, then and in either of said events it shall be incumbent upon the said company, the owner or owners therefore being willing, to take the said sewer or sewers so condemned or surrendered from said owner and owners and shall pay the actual cost value of the construction of said sewer or sewers in the stock of said company, which said stock shall be taken by the owner or owners of said sewer or sewers condemned or surrendered at par value in full payment of same."

In submitting the contract the committee closed as follows:

"Your committee are assured that the said Wilmington Sewerage Company has ample financial ability to construct an adequate system of sewerage for the city according to the most modern hygienic methods as already approved by the Board of Health of the State of North Carolina and the Board of Health of the city of Wilmington, and that so much of the work as has already been constructed has been performed in a most scientific and skillful manner, and the city is fortunate in having an opportunity to secure such a system upon such advantageous terms."

The majority report failed of adoption in a vote of 4 to 3.

A petition from some 300 citizens asking the board to allow excavations in all parts of the city north of Campbell street; east of Seventh street and south of Church street, was referred to the Sanitary committee.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

Liverymen—Notice.
Notice—To Naval Reserves.
Seacoast Road—Special schedule.
Hall & Pearsall—Tobacco, snuff.
Munroe & Kelley—To hand down.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

Geo. E. Pope—All persons.
Wanted—Boiler and engine.

— Herbert McClammy, Esq., is at home from a week's stay at Rutherfordton, N. C. Mrs. McClammy and little daughter will remain for several weeks longer.

Johnson's great special sale will be continued this week. †

## HOPKINS' FINE WORK.

### There Was No Game at Tarboro Yesterday Afternoon On Account of Rain.

### WAS LIKEWISE AT RALEIGH.

**New Twirler Allowed Not a Single Hit to the Tartars—Double-Header To-day. Willig Leaves for Cheraw, S. C. General League Notes.**

[*Special Star Telegram.*]

TARBORO, Aug. 5.—Rain this afternoon saved the Tar Babies from defeat and very probably from a shut out. The game was called during the last half of the third inning up to which time only one of the locals had touched first while three of the Champions had crossed the rubber and three more had perched on bags. Hopkins, Wilmington's latest twirling addition made his first appearance and pitched winning ball, not permitting a hit, and the only man he allowed to reach first was Gilligan, to whom he could not serve up strikes with a wet ball. He went in with perfect control of hot ones while his coolness was in keeping with the good article of ball. His only time at bat netted a hit. Wolfe pitched for the locals. The first two innings was a case of three up and out. In the third Cranston led off with a hit and was advanced to second on Stewart's sacrifice. On Hopkins' single he scored. Clayton singled and sent Hopkins to second to cross the plate later on Warren's single after Devlin had flied out on a foul to Kemmer. McGinnis drew four balls and filled the bases. Allen got hit and forced Clayton home. Frost hit out to Wolfe. The only sensational play of the game was a "beaut." It was Pulsififer's one hand running catch of Devlin's drive to left. To-day's prevented game will of course necessitate a double-header. It will probably be played Wednesday morning and afternoon.

TABULATED SCORE—THREE INNINGS.

| Wilmington. | AB | R | H | PO | A | E |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Clayton, ss | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Devlin, 1b | 2 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Warren, 3b | 2 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| McGinnis, cf | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Allen, lf | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Frost, 2b | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Cranston, c | 1 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 0 |
| Stewart, rf | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Hopkins, p | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Total | 14 | 3 | 4 | 7 | 2 | 0 |

| Tarboro. | AB | R | H | PO | A | E |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Martin, rf | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Pulsifer, lf | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Kemmer, 1b | 1 | 0 | 0 | 6 | 0 | 0 |
| Hempleman, 2b | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Spratt, cf | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Lehman, c | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Herring, 3b | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 |
| Gilligan, ss | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Wolfe, p | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Total | 7 | 0 | 0 | 9 | 3 | 0 |

Summary—Base on balls, off Wolfe 1, off Hopkins 1; struck out, by Hopkins 2, by Wolfe 4; sacrifice hit, Stewart; hit by pitched ball, Allen. Umpire, Mr. Mace.

### A Good Beginning For Pitcher Hopkins.

— Tarboro has released Russell and Curtis.

— There was also no game yesterday at Raleigh on account of rain.

— The most disagreeable surprise of the season to the Tartars—Hopkins.

— It was a fine day for the Turtles at Raleigh yesterday; but there was too much water for the Hornets and the game had to be postponed.

— Pitcher Henry Willig, who has been released by Wilmington, left yesterday afternoon for Cheraw, S. C., to do the slab honors for a team at that point.

— The three games to be played here between the Turtles and the Giants this week will be the most interesting of the season and should attract great crowds.

— Though but three innings were played at Tarboro, the score of 3 to 0 in favor of Wilmington indicates how it would have been if the whole game could have been played.

— Hopkins will probably go in the box for the Giants to-day. If two games are played with Tarboro to-morrow Stewart and Allen will probably pitch for Wilmington.

— For the purpose of deciding a bet a baseball crank at Georgetown, S. C., asks the V. P. if a base on balls is a base-hit. After wrestling with the complicated conundrum for forty-eight hours the V. P. decided that it would be "tollable" hard for a batter to make a base-hit without hitting the ball. Oh! these complex questions! Think of the trials and tribulations of a V. P.

— That "magnificent Virginian," Hopkins, from Bedford City, showed yesterday that he will prove a strong addition to the Wilmington team, although but three innings could be played on account of rain. He did not allow Tarboro a single hit, and got one of the three hits and runs made by Wilmington.

**After King Kelly's Men.**

[By Associated Press.]

CHARLOTTE, N. C., Aug. 5.—A Greensboro special to the *Observer* says: "Captain Kelly, of the Raleigh baseball team, is here with a warrant for the arrest of George O. Leidy, who is alleged to be making an effort to entice Atz and Smith from the Raleigh team to the Birmingham team. Seventy-five dollars and railroad tickets for the two Raleigh players have been forwarded here. There is no trace of Leidy."

Johnson's great special sale will be continued this week. †

## ALDERMANIC ROUTINE.

**Sewerage Debate Allowed Only Bits of Other Business to Creep Into Yesterday's Board Proceedings.**

Aside from the sewerage debate, the proceedings of the Board of Aldermen yesterday afternoon were in the main uninteresting.

A communication from the Cape Fear Club was read relative to the payment of liquor license tax to the city. It was decided by unanimous vote to tax all social clubs which dispense whiskey at the rate of $32 per month—the same as liquor license—and such a provision was added to the tax ordinance.

The fire committee was authorized to sell two disabled horses in the service and purchase another with an additional $150 appropriation.

The Police Committee reported the discharge of Officer M. E. Guy and J. D. McClammy was elected in his stead. E. R. Holt was elected on the relief force.

The tax on fish dealers was reduced from $60 to $40 per annum; vote 7 to 3.

The Superintendent of Health was instructed to notify owners that the sewers emptying into Chesnut, Princess, Dock and Orange street docks must be extended to the tide line.

A question of the reduction of the scavenger license from $50 to $10 per year was discussed but no action was taken.

Alderman Bailey reported that the Streets and Wharves Committee hoped to start the rock crusher in operation to-day.

Mr. G. W. Penny was granted permission to build a small boat house on Ann street dock.

License to retail liquor was granted to F. W. Kerchner, 114 North Front street; W. D. Pate & Co., 6 South Front street, and J. A. Westbrook & Co., southeast corner of Fourth and Bladen streets.

Petitions were referred to the Streets and Wharves Committee on the following subjects: Draining of depression in Nun street, between Fifth and Sixth; improvement by Mr. A. S. Heide on south side of Orange, between Sixth and Seventh streets, same as on north side; sale of 100 tons of rock at foot of Chesnut street to Capt. E. D. Williams at 50 cents per ton; bill ($15.80) of H. VonGlahn for underpining wall on Fifth, between Dock and Orange streets.

Salary of Marsh Walker, assistant at Front street market house, was raised from $10 to $20 per month.

City Attorney Bellamy made the very creditable showing of the collection from ten delinquents of $1,158 49 in back taxes since the books were turned over to him a week ago.

The Board adjourned at 6:30 o'clock P. M., after having been in session for three hours.

## COUNTY COMMISSIONERS.

**Two Sections of Public Road in Harnett Discontinued — Regular Meeting of Board Yesterday Afternoon.**

Matters before the regular monthly meeting of the Board of County Commissioners at 2:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon were principally routine in character and of no very general interest. Chairman McEachern presided and all members were present except Commissioner Vollers.

To Messrs. Montgomery and Alexander was referred an application for reduction in tax assessment of the property of the Hanover Land and Improvement Company in Cape Fear township. It is now assessed at $15,000.

Mr. I. J. Sternberger's new property on Front street was assessed at $5,500.

Josh Jarrell, white, Masonboro township, was allowed $2.00 per month on outside pauper list for months of August and September.

Upon recommendation of the road superintendent and Commissioner Alexander, to whom the matter was referred, public road sections 3 and 6 in Harnett township were ordered discontinued. Section 3 is three miles in length, leading from the 8 mile post on the "Gordon" road to Frank's Landing on the Sound. Section 6 is five miles in length leading from the 4-mile post on the Newbern road to the Sound. The road superintendent and Commissioner Alexander were also requested to look into the advisability of the discontinuance of Section 5 in Harnett township, three miles in length, leading from the 6-mile post on the Newbern road to the Sound.

**Death of Mrs. W. H. Carr.**

Friends and relatives in Wilmington yesterday learned with sorrow of the sad bereavement suffered by Mr. W. H. Carr in the death of his wife, which occurred at Maxton, N. C., on Sunday. Both Mr. and Mrs. Carr are well known in Wilmington, the first named being a nephew of Messrs. Samuel and W. H. Northrop, of this city. Mrs. Carr before marriage was a Miss Forbes, of Enfield, N. C., and the remains were taken to that town for interment yesterday. Mr. W. H. Northrop left yesterday morning for Enfield to attend the funeral yesterday afternoon.

**Mid-Week Excursion.**

On steamer Compton to Southport Wednesday, Aug. 7th. Boat leaves her wharf 9:30, returning leaves Southport 4:15 P. M., reaching city 6:30. Fare for round trip 25 cents. Go and take your children and enjoy a pleasant day's outing with very little expense. †

Johnson's great special sale will be continued this week. †

## THE FIRST REGIMENT.

### Boys of the North Carolina State Guard Again at Wrightsville Sound.

### ALL HAVE FULL RANKS.

**And Prospects Are Most Encouraging for Successful Encampment—Charlotte and Shelby Companies Came Early Yesterday Morning.**

Camp Aycock, Wrightsville, Aug. 5.

The First Regiment, North Carolina State Guard, is now in camp under the experienced and skillful command of Colonel Joseph F. Armfield. Col. Armfield has been sick for the past few days, but is well and will give the boys a warming up on the drill grounds.

Battery A, of Charlotte, the only battery of artillery in the State, under command of Captain Davidson, is in camp with the regiment.

The field and staff officers of the regiment are as follows: Colonel Jos. F. Armfield, of Statesville; Lieutenant-Colonel George F. Ruizler, of Charlotte; Major Robert L. Flannigan, of Statesville, 3rd battalion; Major Thomas R. Robertson, of Charlotte, 2nd battalion; Major George E. Butler, of Clinton, 1st battalion; Captain S. B. Alexander, of Charlotte, adjutant; Captain W. G. Smith, of Asheville, quartermaster; Major Charles S. Jordan, of Asheville, surgeon; Captain Baxter R. Hunter, of King's Mountan, assistant surgeon; First Lieutenant R. E. Lee, of Clinton, assistant surgeon; Dr. R. E. Caldwell, of Winston, chaplain; First Lieutenant Arthur W. Freeman, of Waynesville, battalion adjutant; First Lieutenant James L. Watson, of Salisbury, battalion adjutant; First Lieutenant B. F. Dixon, of Shelby, battalion adjutant; First Lieutenant George L. Lyon, of Durham, commisary of subsistence.

The non-commissioned staff is: J. S. Lewis, of Goldsboro, sergeant major; F. E. Boyd, of Durham, quartermaster sergeant; J. R. Boyd, of Reidsville, commissary sergeant; first battalion sergeant major, E. Lyerly, of Hickory; second battalion sergeant major, J. T. Richardson, of Reidsville; hospital stewards, Wm. Hughes, of Durham, P. M. King, of Concord, Henry Hall, of Statesville; chief musicians, J. H. Wilhelmie and C. M. Webster, of Asheville; J. T. Goodson, drum major, of Asheville.

The following hours that will be observed during the regiment's stay at Camp Aycock, were observed by the regiment, with the exception of the morning drill, when it was in Cuba, during the Spanish-American war:

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| First Call for Reville | 4:50 |
| Reveille | 5:00 |
| Assembly for Roll Call | 5:15 |
| Mess Call, Breakfast | 6:00 |
| Fatigue | 6:30 |
| Sick Call | 6:35 |
| Guard Mount, First Call | 7:00 |
| Assembly | 7:10 |
| Adjutant's Call | 7:20 |
| Drill, First Call | 7:45 |
| Assembly | 8:00 |
| Recall | 9:30 |
| First Sergeant's Call | 9:45 |
| School Call | 10:00 |
| Non-commis'd Officers' School | 10:30 |
| Mess Call, Dinner | 12:00 |
| Drill, First Call | 4:00 |
| Assembly | 4:10 |
| Recall | 5:09 |
| First Call for Parade | 5:30 |
| Assembly | 5:45 |
| Adjutant's Call, Bat'n Forma'n | 6:00 |
| Parade | 6:15 |
| Mess Call, Supper | 6:45 |
| Tattoo | 9:45 |
| Taps | 10:00 |

Band will play at Reveille.

The first companies to reach camp were the two and battery from Charlotte and the Cleveland Guards of Shelby. They reached the city early yesterday morning on a special over the Seaboard Air Line and were taken after a couple of hours stay in the city immediately to the camp. The roster of these companies is as follows:

Battery A, Charlotte—Captain R. E. Davidson, First Lieutenant B. S. Davis, Second Lieutenant P. H. Williams, Quartermaster Sergeant D. L. Troutman, Sergeants Ellerbe, Hall, Ross, Smith, B. H., Southerland. Corporals Bradfort, Hunt and Mullershan.

Privates Asbury, Alexander, Bickett, Cranford, Freeman, Harrison, Hahan, Helvin, Howie, Moyle, McDonald, Moody, Northey, Pegram, Ross, Miller, Shaw, Shulenburger, Sprolls, Smith, Sutherland, Threat, Thomson, Wilson, Williams, Woodruff, Williamson, Willey.

Company D, Lee Rifles, of Charlotte—Captain J. R. Anderson, First Lieutenant T. L. Powell, Second Lieutenant F. G. Skinner, Sergeants Campbell, McNeely, Redford, Hunter, Briggs, Corporals Voltz, Earney, Paul, Gray, Horkey, Musician Grimsley.

Privates Black, Burnett, Brickett, Beall, Clouts, Culp, Freeman, Gallant, Gray, Hasty, H., Hasty, J., Hasty, R., Hobbs, Harkey, Hunsuck, Hines, Johnson, Little, Misenheimer, Meggs, McClain, McAuelty, Owens, Skinner, Sing, Sauceman, Walters, Nandle, R., Nandle, W.

Company G, Shelby—Captain J. T. Gardner, First Lieutenant J. Roberts, Sergeants Dixon, Gardner, Alexander, Gales, Short, Hester, Corporals, Harris, Gedney, Patterson, Owens, Musicians Sutherland and Greene.

Privates Baxter, Bean, Brackett, Clay C., Clay I., Connor C., Connor R., Cornwall, Curtis, Diens, Durham, Eaker, Gaffney, Gladden, Golden, Griffen, Harold, Lance, Palmer, Petty, Putnam, Spake, Sullivan, Suttle, Thomson, Turner, Wells, Wesson and Williams.

The remaining companies in the regiment did not get in camp until 9:30 o'clock to-night. All except the Fayetteville company came via a special over the A. C. L. from Goldsboro, reaching the city at 8:45 P. M. With the Fayetteville boys the "big" contingent came down on a Seacoast special.

It is impossible to get anything like a complete roster of them to-night.

The regimental flags in front of the headquarters were used in the Spanish-American war.

For the benefit of those in encampment and those who desire to visit the camp, The Wilmington Seacoast Railroad has again put on its magnificent schedule of six trains each day from the sound to the beach. The two extra trains between the city and beach are also scheduled. For the arrival and departure of trains see official schedule in another column.

The "Queen City" is well represented in camp by three as fine looking bodies of military as one could wish to see. In the Charlotte artillery are 46 men including officers; in the Queen City Guards 42 men, including officers. The Lee Rifles have about 42 men. Seven of the members of the Charlotte artillery company are expected to join their company Friday night.

The general impression has gone abroad that Governor Aycock will reach camp to-morrow (Tuesday). Col. F. A. Macon, who is now in camp, yesterday received a telegram from the Governor stating that it will be impossible for him to reach here to-morrow on account of the continued very serious illness of his little son at Wilson. The little fellow has paralysis of the left side and is not expected to live.

### THE BICYCLE THEFTS.

**Police Think They Have Prime Movers in Iniquitous Practice.**

The systematic bicycle stealing that has been in progress in the city for more than a week, as spoken of in Sunday's STAR, has been balked by the police and two of the alleged purloiners are in the toils.

The most inveterate is Mallie Russ, a white lad who was employed for a while by Mr. S. L. Smith, the tinner. He is accredited with the theft of two machines, one of which was stolen from the little son of Mr. H. D. Staniand, who left his wheel Friday afternoon in front of the Navassa office on Water street and the other belonging to Mr. A. B. McNair, who "fell short a wheel" from in front of the Y. M. C. A. building Saturday morning. Two unsuspecting purchasers were found in Mr. W. L. West, Castle street, and Mr. J. W. Knowles, Ninth and and Queen streets, to each of whom young Russ told a plausible tale.

The second of those who will have to answer for stolen wheels is "Buck" Blocker, colored. He was arrested Sunday at the Powers & Gibbs guano factory by Sergeants Woolard and Burnett, of the police force. The latter officer had a race for his prisoner through a rice pond filled with slush and mud. He finally landed his man, however. The capture of Russ was effected by Special Officer Millis.

### PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

— Mr. J. F. Blizzard, of Rose Hill, was here yesterday.

— Miss Janet McDonald is the guest of Dr. and Mrs. A. D. McDonald.

— Mr. Edwin A. McKoy is visiting his parents at Masonboro Sound.

— Robt. W. Davis, Esq., of Southport, is in the city on professional business.

— Miss Bessie Holden returned from a visit to Rocky Point yesterday.

— Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Curran left Saturday via Clyde Line for New York.

— Mrs. E. A. Silva left Sunday for Burgaw to visit friends and relatives.

— Mr. James Sprunt is at the Battery Park Hotel, Asheville, for some time.

— Sergeant Ward was at his desk at the police station yesterday after a week's illness.

— Dr. Geo. F. Lucas, of Currie, is here attending Mrs. A. G. Patterson, who is quite unwell.

— Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Fennell, of Raleigh, have returned to Wilmington to reside in the future.

— Mr. George Alderman, of Florence, S. C., spent Sunday in the city with friends and relatives.

— Messrs. S. R. Vick and Ed Taylor got home yesterday morning from the Pan-American Exposition.

— A. W. McLean, Esq., Dr. Dunlop Thompson and Mr. S. B. Lewis, of Lumberton, spent Sunday at the Seashore.

— Mrs. Jno. J. Fowler and daughter, Miss Nellie Heiser, have returned from a pleasant visit of several weeks to Columbia and Sumter, S. C.

**He Lost a Finger.**

Mr. S. J. Ellis, a well known employe of the A. C. L. car shops, suffered a severe laceration of the fingers of the left hand yesterday morning as the result of an accident by which his hand went in contact with a swiftly revolving cut-off saw. The middle finger of the hand was completely severed, while it is probable that two others will have to come off.

### LOCAL DOTS.

— "Subscriber," at Mt. Olive, is informed that it is an inexorable rule of the STAR not to print "Personals" unless the information is accompanied with the real name of the writer.

— The regular monthly inspection of Wilmington Division, Naval Reserves, has been postponed until Monday, August 12th, on account of the absence from the city of Lieut. H. M. Chase, commanding.

Johnson's great special sale will be continued this week. †

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SPECIAL SCHEDULE.
DAILY EXCEPT SUNDAY.

| Leave Wrightsville. | Leave Ocean View. |
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| 9 00 A. M. | 10 30 A. M. |
| 1 15 P. M. | 1 40 P. M. |
| 3 00 P. M. | 3 30 P. M. |
| 4 15 P. M. | 5 00 P. M. |
| 6 45 P. M. | 7 30 P. M. |
| 8 30 P. M. | 11 00 P. M. |

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND OCEAN VIEW.

| Leave Wilmington. | Leave Ocean View. |
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| 12 45 P. M. | 10 30 P. M. |
| 6 15 P. M. | 5 00 P. M. |

SUNDAY EXTRA.

| Leave Wilmington. | Leave Ocean View. |
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| 8 30 A. M. | 9 15 P. M. |
| 7 30 P. M. | 7 30 P. M. |

SUNDAY EXTRA BETWEEN WRIGHTSVILLE AND OCEAN VIEW.

| Leave Wrightsville. | Leave Ocean View. |
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| 9 00 A. M. | 9 30 A. M. |
| 10 00 A. M. | 11 00 A. M. |
| 1 00 P. M. | 2 15 P. M. |
| 6 00 P. M. | 7 30 P. M. |

REGULAR SCHEDULE,
DAILY.

| Leave Wilmington. | Leave Ocean View. |
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| 6 30 A. M. | 7 45 A. M. |
| 10 10 A. M. | 12 30 P. M. |
| 2 30 P. M. | 3 45 P. M. |
| 5 10 P. M. | 6 00 P. M. |
| 7 15 P. M. | 10 00 P. M. |

SUNDAY TRAINS.

| Leave Wilmington. | Leave Ocean View. |
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| 10 10 A. M. | 12 30 P. M. |
| 2 30 P. M. | 6 00 P. M. |
| 7 15 P. M. | 9 00 P. M. |

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**Notice to Naval Reserves.**

The regular monthly inspection of Wilmington Division Naval Reserves is hereby postponed until Monday night, August 12th, at 8:30 P. M. By order of

H. M. CHASE,
Lieutenant Commanding.
S. K. DEVANEY,
Boatswain Mate, 1st Class. aug 6 1t

# The Morning Star.

BY WILLIAM H. BERNARD

WILMINGTON, N. C.

TUESDAY MORNING, AUGUST 6.


## STILL IN ITS INFANCY.

There has been some apprehension expressed that the cotton-manufacturing industry in the South may be overdone, but there is little danger of that if it be well managed, and proper efforts be made to find markets at home and abroad, and efforts also made to diversify the manufacture so as to branch out into those grades in which there is the most profit. It was to be expected, and it was prudent on the part of our manufacturers when venturing on a new business of which they had little practical knowledge, to confine themselves to the plain grades, for which they could easily command the labor at home, and for which they knew there was a home demand at prices that would pay them well, but now that many of them have mastered the industry and know as much about it as the manufacturers of other sections there is no reason why they should be content with manufacturing a limited number of the cheaper grades of goods.

Progress has been made in this, it is true, and some of our mills are turning out very handsome lines of goods that will compare favorably with similar goods made anywhere, but the majority of the mills are still confining themselves to the cheaper and less profitable grades of goods, catering to the demand for these in this and in other countries to which they ship.

Mr. D. A. Tompkins, of Charlotte, who has given much thought and study to the cotton manufacturing industry, and always writes and speaks interestingly and instructively on it, has published statements shewing how the value of cotton might be increased by making the finer grades of goods as compared with the coarser grades. The value may be increased ten or a hundred fold according to the quality of the goods made. Of course all of our cotton could not be converted into high grade goods, even if our mills were equipped to make them, nor could all the crop of any one State, a large producer of cotton, be so converted, for that would exceed the demand for these kinds of goods, but a very considerable portion of the crop could be and many millions of dollars be thus added to the income of our Southern mills.

To do this our mills would, as a matter of course, have to compete with the mills in the North and in other countries which make these fine grades, but there is no reason why they couldn't compete in these as they do in the lines of goods they are now making, in some of which they have been so successful that Northern mills have given up the fight and ceased trying to compete. But even the Northern mills are not able, or do not for some other reason, supply the demand for certain kinds of fine goods, and consequently this country imported last year about $20,000,000 worth of these goods, as much as we exported of all kinds. While our Northern mills find markets for all the goods they make and we import $20,000,000 worth from other countries (which buy most of their raw cotton from us) there is little danger of the industry being overdone in this country for some years to come and especially in the South, which has demonstrated her ability to manufacture cotton more cheaply than any other country in the world can manufacture it.

While there has been large increases in the production of cotton in this and other countries within the past ten years, the increased production has not kept pace with the increased world-demand for consumption. and there is little probability that it will in the future. It now requires about 14,000,000 bales to supply the mills of the world, but the mills are increasing steadily in number and so is the demand for cotton goods. While every human being who wears clothing of any description wears some cotton, over one half the human family wears cotton altogether, and they will wear more of it in coming years when with the world's progress their condition will be improved, and they will wear a better quality and higher priced goods. In addition to that our home market will need more year after year, with the increase in population. Each decade will add ten or twelve millions to the population to be clothed and these will all use American-made goods, with the exception, perhaps, of the few who will buy such goods as they fancy from other countries, in the event our own manufacturers do not supply the kind they need.

The Wilmington, Del., practical joker must have his little joke even when the weather is warm. Some Wilmington Elks went to Milwaukee, Wis., last week, and one of them thought it would be a good idea to present the mayor of the city with a souvenir, a model of the Delaware whipping post. The practical joker couldn't let this grand opportunity slip, and telegraphed the chief of police to "arrest a man carrying a model of a whipping post." The result was that the model man soon found himself in the lock-up and also in a rage. He had to stay there until friends explained the model business, and the peculiarities of the Delaware joker, who is at present rusticating where the returned model man can't find him.

## THE FARMER'S CHANCES.

In writing heretofore on the necessity of prudence on the part of farmers in contracting indebtedness to be paid out of their crops, we have remarked that there is no avocation in which more more chances are taken than in that of farming. No man can tell when he plants his crop what he will get out of it. All he can do is plant and hope. It may be that drought, or deluge, storm or insect will leave him little or nothing, or it may be that an excessive yield will exceed the demand for consumption and leave him little return for his labor.

We have a striking illustration of this this year in the great grain region of the West, and in the cotton region of the South, both of which have suffered much, the former from destroying droughts, the latter from downpours of rain, followed in some sections by parching droughts.

Fortunately for the farmers of the West, and for everybody else, a very good wheat crop was harvested before the drought set in. If it hadn't been for that the farmers of the West would have been ruined, and in their ruin would have pulled down thousands of others whose business depends upon the farmer. It is too early yet (and still chances are to be taken) to estimate what the damage to the South has been, but the estimated damage to the farmers of Missouri, Kansas, Iowa and Nebraska alone is between $300,000,000 and $400,000,000. There are a great many farmers in the West who raise but little wheat, depending on corn and other crops, principally corn, which they feed to hogs, so that a loss of corn means a loss of pork, their main dependence.

Thus not only the farmers of the West and South suffer, but in their adversity the business of the country will suffer, for these farmers will not have much money to spend and this will make itself felt in the general run of business.

## EVANS AND THE PENSION SHARKS.

For four years or more the pension sharks have been waging war on Commissioner Evans, charging him with systematic turning down of meritorious claims and with withholding from deserving applicants the pensions they were entitled to. They have been doing everything in their power to drive him into tendering his resignation and failing in that have brought all the influence they could bring to bear, including threats of loss of votes, on Mr. McKinley to force his removal from office, and the appointment of some one who, as spokesman Sickles puts it, would be "acceptable to the veterans."

How little ground there is for these accusations and this persistent war is shown by the following official figures of the number of appeals from his decisions, affirmations and reversals in the past four years ending with June 30th, 1900:

| Year. | Appeals. | Affirmed. | Reversed. |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1897 | 4,949 | 4,403 | 395 |
| 1898 | 12,087 | 4,222 | 396 |
| 1899 | 8,845 | 4,941 | 371 |
| 1900 | 7,530 | 5,575 | 378 |
| Total | 33,371 | 19,141 | 1,540 |

Here are 1,540 decisions reversed out of a total of 33,371 in four years. But there were really only 300 reversals proper in 1900, as sixty-four of these cases were sent back for special examination and fourteen to test medical examinations, and the Chattanooga *Times*, from which we clip the above figures, says this is about the proportion for the three previous years.

It doesn't seem from these affirmations of the decisions of the Commissioner by the head of the Department that the Commissioner is such an enemy of the pensioner, for the sharks would hardly accuse the head of the Department of aiding him to crowd out the pensioner.

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As our manufacturers have demonstrated their ability to compete in other markets with the manufacturers of other countries, they have nothing to fear from competition in the home market, which will be theirs in spite of anything the manufacturers of other countries may do. They will not seriously attempt to invade this market, save in special lines, which our manufacturers do not give much attention to. Before two decades pass there will be something in the neighborhood of a hundred millions of people in this country to use cotton goods, and Americans use more of them, and of every other kind of goods for that matter, than any other people in the world. That hundred millions of people would require a great deal more cotton goods than our mills now make, so that there is little danger of overdoing the business, while our mills can defy foreign competition, and there is even less danger of overdoing the business in the South, which can compete not only with foreign mills, but with the mills in the North, so that they are absolutely masters of the situation and may go on and expand and increase as much as they choose, but, of course, they must expand and increase with judgment and on business principles, branching out into new lines with the expansion.

## MOSQUITOES AND MALARIA.

**Something in Which Everybody is Interested.**

The most prevalent disease in North Carolina, certainly from now until frost, is malarial fever in one form or another. It is by no means confined to the low lying Eastern section of the State, but is quite abundant in many localities in the hill country, having been reported even from Cherokee.

By recent scientific investigations the cause of the fever has been shown to be a microscopic animal known as the *plasmodium malariæ* or *hemamœba vivax*, which feeds upon the red corpuscles of the blood—hence the pallor of persons suffering from chronic malaria. The development of this little parasite in the blood is as follows: One of the pores, or baby germs, so to speak, enters a red corpuscle and, feeding on its contents, grows until at the end of twenty-four hours it has become nearly as large as the corpuscle. It then, by a process known as segmentation, splits up into a dozen or more little spores again, which for a short time are free in the blood and unattached to the corpuscles. It is just as the segmentation occurs that the chill comes on, which explains the periodic recurrence of the chill every twenty-four hours, and as it has been found that quinine is most effective in killing the germs while they are free in the blood and not buried in the substance of the corpuscles, the best time to give quinine is just before the chill is expected.

The method of the introduction of the malarial poison, the plasmodium, certainly the chief method, has been demonstrated beyond all question to be the sting of a certain variety of mosquito known as anopheles. The common mosquito, which while more abundant, is innocent as a carrier of disease, being known as culex. The latter species will breed in still water of any kind, no matter how pure, but the former, our enemy, will only breed in stagnant pools in which there is a certain amount of vegetable matter, especially if there are no fish, such as top minnows or sun-pearch, which feed upon the larvæ or wiggletails. This explains the fact that malaria is much more abundant after freshets, in the course of which the stream, getting out of its banks, washes holes in the ground, and speedily falling leaves there stagnant pools with few or no fish in them. Mosquitoes are very much more abundant this exceptional year of freshets than usual. It also explains the danger of brick holes.

The larvæ, or wiggletails, as we generally call them, are the young mosquitoes. Although they live in the water from the time they are hatched from the eggs which were laid on the surface until they reach maturity they cannot live without air—they must breathe. Contrary to the general rule, they breathe "wrong-end foremost"—through a long breathing tube which springs from the body near the tail and which they stick out of the top of the water when they want air. The bearing of this arrangement on their destruction will appear later.

There is a popular apprehension in regard to the movement of mosquitoes. The general impression is that they are carried by the wind, and people at the sea-side say that a land breeze brings mosquitoes. It is a fact that they are more abundant when the breeze is from the land or in a calm, but according to those who know best the fact probably is not that they are blown from the swamps to landward, but that they simply come out again from the trees and shrubbery and the lea side of houses where they had taken refuge from the strong sea breeze which was too rough for their fragile bodies. With rare exception they travel, it is said, seldom more than a mile, and generally not so far. When one is troubled with mosquitoes a careful search will almost always reveal stagnant water in the near vicinity.

The destruction of mosquitoes and the consequent prevention of malaria is accomplished in two ways: First and best, by the thorough drainage of all stagnant pools of water, and second, by keeping the surface of such pools covered with petroleum, what is known as light fuel oil, or even the crude petroleum being better and cheaper than the ordinary kerosene. The film of oil prevents the larvæ from breathing and smothers them. The quantity necessary is one ounce or two tablespoonsfuls to every fifteen square feet of surface, repeated every two weeks. This oil method was employed with great success last year by the city of Winchester, Va., and our own town of Tarboro has recently shown a most commendable spirit of enterprise in adopting it. Some care and a little expense in securing protection against mosquitoes and in providing a supply of pure drinking water will practically insure against malaria.

To those interested in this subject I cordially commend a very interesting and valuable book on mosquitoes written in popular and entertaining style by Dr. L. O. Howard the Chief Entomologist of the United States, and published by McClure, Phillips & Co., New York, at a cost of $1.64, postpaid.

RICHARD H LEWIS, M. D.,
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## SPIRITS TURPENTINE.

— Tarboro *Southerner*: An evidence of the progress of home industries is the fact that the carpets that are being put down in Greensboro's city hall were manufactured right in Greensboro.

— Graham *Gleaner*: A white man named Frank Allred was arrested in Burlington last Thursday afternoon upon the charge of a criminal assault upon the little three year-old daughter of Mr. C. W. Petty at Bellemont that morning. Allred was bound over to November court in a bond of $300. He is still in jail.

— Winston *Sentinel*: Mr. N. G. Williams, Yadkin county's biggest farmer, has finished threshing this year's wheat crop and the yield aggregated 4,310 bushels. His best field of 14½ acres made 508 bushels, an average of 35 1-29 bushels per acre. The second best yield was on 36 acers, from which 906 bushels was threshed, an average of 25 1-6 bushels to the acre.

— Reidsville *Review*: Guilford county has a citizen who is proud of the fact that he has been married six times and is the father of fifty-eight children. In the lot there are four pairs of twins and one set of triplets. One wife was the mother of twenty-one of the children. The man is 58 years old and has just married his seventh wife.

— Washington *Gazette*: It is a sad commentary on the way some of our farmers lay by in store for a rainy day, when several were seen on the street dividing a bag of meal they had purchased, thus showing they did not raise their bread last year. —One of our good ladies remarked to us: There is no telling how many of our colored cooks have gone north in search of employment, and are at work there. Agents to induce them to go north were constantly at work among the colored people, and they had been successful, so much so, it was nearly impossible to employ a good cook.

— Raleigh *Times*: Mr. A. J. Jackson and Mr. Len Royster have returned from a business trip to Johnston and Wilson counties. Mr. Jackson says at one point not 28 miles from Raleigh he met a man 24 years old, born within 6 miles of where he was living, who had never been to Raleigh, seen a street car or even a railroad train in his life. A few miles from Earpsboro Mr. Jackson had occasion to stop awhile and he noticed, grazing in a nearby pasture, a cow with ten horns. Two horns grew from each foot and two from her head. He suggests that the animal be purchased and placed in the Park here.

— Lexington *Dispatch*: Capt. M. L. Jones and others have secured the right of way for the Thomasville, Denton and Eldorado Railroad from Thomasville to Denton and will probably begin grading the road rome time this fall. —— It is reported that the Pennsylvania railroad is very much interested in the building of the proposed line from Winston via Lexington to Wadesboro. If this be true the chances are good that the road will be built.

—— Another manufacturing enterprise for Thomasville was chartered by the State this week. It is the Tomlinson Company, with a capital of $25,000, and is composed of S. J. Tomlinson and others. They will manufacture furniture and other things. ——The three contested election cases in Randolph county were compromised last week by the Democrats getting the offices of register of deeds and treasurer and the Republicans the office of sheriff, each party paying their own costs, and terminating what would have been one of the most hotly and expensively contested cases in the State, there being from three to five hundred witnesses on each side.

## CURRENT COMMENT.

—— So the Boer war cost Great Britain $178,500,000 for the 122 days from April 1st to July 31st, inclusive, or more than $1,400,000 a day. That is "staggering," sure enough, even without regard to any consideration but the financial one, which is the least one, from any proper point of view.—*Richmond Dispatch, Dem.*

—— Admiral Cervera says he never met Admiral Sampson. Had he been cruising about in West Indian waters just prior to the war in a vessel that would net a lump of prize money the Spanish admiral would doubtless have had the honor and pleasure of forming the acquaintance of the valorous Sampson. —*Washington Post, Ind.*

—— "The formation of so-called Bread Trust," says the Philadelphia Inquirer, "may mean something or nothing. The prices at which it sells bread will determine that, and no rational being would think of condemning it in advance of proof of it already alleged infamy." Does the Inquirer happen to know whether or not there is such a thing as a Cracker Trust; and whether crackers are "bread?"—*Charleston News and Courier, Dem.*

—— In the seclusion of his home at Canton President McKinley ponders over the tariff problem and sketches out plans for new commercial conventions which may pass muster with the Federal Senate. But for the stumbling block of British free trade his little reciprocity mill might grind away merrily enough; but administrative casuistry has been unable thus far to convince the Senate that Great Britain ought to be punished commercially for having thrown her ports open without discrimination to American products. With England welcoming the ships and cargoes of all nations there can be no plain sailing for McKinley reciprocity through legislative channels. —*Philadelhhia Record, Dem.*

— She (tearfully)—Henry, our engagement is at an end, and I wish to return to you everything you have ever given me. He (cheerfully)—Thank you, Blanche. You may begin at once with the kisses. They are married now.—*Baltimore Sun.*


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## TWINKLINGS.

— Man may leave footprints on the sands of time with impunity, but he should be careful how he leaves them on a recently scrubbed kitchen floor.—*Tit-Bits.*

— "It didn't seem very wise in the judge to sentence Turpin to the county jail to break stone." "Why not?" "Because it was a stone jail, and he broke it."

— To a silver wedding celebration recently a pious old lady sent as a present a pair of flat-irons, a rolling-pin, and a motto worked on cardboard, reading: "fight on!"—*Tit-Bits.*

— "It seems strange to hear you speak so bitterly of him. You used to say you admired him for the enemies he had made." "Yes, but I'm one of them now."—*Philadelphia Press.*

— "The number of people who speak English," said the amateur statistician, "is now 116,000,000." "It is a wonder," said the cynic, "some of them do not find their way on the stage."—*Tit-Bits*

— Good Advice: "I am thinking of doing a little speculating," said the lamb. "What's the best thing to put your money in?" "A safety deposit vault," replied the old bird.—*Philadelphia Press.*

— The New York Sun refers to Edgar Stanton Maclay as "the most distinguished living American historian." It is evidently a typographical error. It should be "extinguished."—*Savannah Press.*

— Fastidious: "Jane Meadows was almost drowned in the latest Staten Island ferry collision." "How was that?" "She said the life preserver didn't match that new shirt waist of hers."—*Cleveland Plain Dealer.*

— Very Likely: Wife—"I somehow just feel in my bones that we will go to Europe this summer." Husband—"In which bone do you feel it most?" Wife—"Well, I don't exactly know, but I guess it's my wish-bone."—*Boston Traveller.*

— "That was rather—a well, a tame sermon of yours this morning, Mr. Mildman," said the rector, just returned from a holiday. "Was it, sir?" responded the curate. "It wasn't mine. I've been too busy this week to write one, and I took it from a bundle in your handwriting out of the library."—*Tit-Bits.*

— "I have traveled a good deal in my day," said Mr. Muckman, silhouetting his fingers on a hotel napkin as he spoke, "but in my experience I never saw anything more strange than greeted my eyes when I got up this morning. What do you suppose it was?" His casual companion surveyed the inquirer a moment and then replied: "Cake of soap, probably."

**The Supercilious Camel.**

There are few things more interesting in north China than the great Mongolian camel trains. The two humped Bactrian camel of central Asia is a magnificent beast, quite throwing his African brothers into the shade. When clothed in his new winter coat of rich dark brown fur, which even covered his knees, he is doubly imposing. A string of 15 to 20 camels is fastened together by a cord, attached to the nose of the first and the tail of the second, and so on to the last one, which wears a large bell around his neck, so that the Mongol, who is perched on the leading camel, can easily discover when the connecting cord breaks.

A mandarin and a camel are the most supercilious creatures upon earth. The former, wrapped in rich silks and furs, as he is carried along in his sedan chair, glances at the European with pitying disdain. But the camel ignores you altogether, and with a sneer on his mouth plods slowly along, not deigning to look at anything that is not on a level with his eyes. It is therefore necessary to give a camel train a wide berth, for the great beasts would calmly walk over one, and, finding some obstacle in the road, would probably give a kick which would silence one for ever.—Cornhill Magazine.

**An Exchange of Gifts.**

When Sir Richard F. Burton, in 1863, was sent on a special mission to his majesty Gelele, king of Dahomey, he bore with him, among other gifts from Queen Victoria, a richly embossed silver pipe, with amber mouthpiece. The king told Burton that he liked his old red clay and wooden stem pipe better than the new one, and that if Queen Victoria wished really to please him she would send him a carriage and a pair of horses and a white woman. The king's return presents to the British queen consisted of native pipes and tobacco for her own smoking, loin cloths for her majesty to change while traveling and an umbrella to be held over her head while drinking. These gifts, however, never reached the queen, having been lost in transit.


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## COMMERCIAL.

### WILMINGTON MARKET

[Quoted officially at the close by the Produce Exchange.]

STAR OFFICE, August 5.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Market steady at 33c per gallon for machine made casks, no demand for country casks.

ROSIN—Market firm at 95c per barrel for strained and $1.00 per barrel for good strained.

TAR—Market firm at $1.35 per bbl of 280 lbs.

CRUDE TURPENTINE.—Market steady at $1.00 per barrel for hard, $2.00 for dip and —— for virgin.

Quotations same day last year—Spirits turpentine nothing doing; rosin firm at $1.20@1.25; tar steady at $1.40; crude turpentine easy at $1.04@2 40.

RECEIPTS.

| | |
|---|---|
| Spirits turpentine | 59 |
| Rosin | 155 |
| Tar | 125 |
| Crude turpentine | 176 |

Receipts same day last year—51 casks spirits turpentine, 126 bbls rosin, 33 bbls tar, 103 bbls crude turpentine.

COTTON.

Market quiet on a basis of 8¼c per pound for middling. Quotations:

| | |
|---|---|
| Ordinary | 5 13-16 cts ₱ lb |
| Good ordinary | 7 3-16 " " |
| Low middling | 7 13-16 " " |
| Middling | 8¼ " " |
| Good middling | 8 9-16 " " |

Same day last year middling nothing doing.

Receipts — — bales; same day last year. —

[Corrected Regularly by Wilmington Produce Commission Merchants, prices representing those paid for produce consigned to Commission Merchants.]

COUNTRY PRODUCE.

PEANUTS—North Carolina, quiet. Prime, 70c; extra prime, 75c per bushel of 28 pounds; fancy, 80c. Virginia—Prime, 50c; extra prime, 55c; fancy, 60c. Spanish, 75c.

CORN—Firm; 68 to 70c per bushel for white.

N. C. BACON—Steady; hams 13 to 14c per pound; shoulders, 11 to 12c; sides, 11 to 12c.

EGGS—Dull at 13c per dozen.

CHICKENS—Dull. Grown, 20 to 22c; springs, 8@18c.

TURKEYS—Nothing doing.

BEESWAX—Firm at 25c.

SWEET POTATOES—Firm at 75c.

## FINANCIAL MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star

NEW YORK, Aug 5.—Money on call steady at 2@2½ per cent.; the last loan 2 per cent. Prime mercantile paper 4½@5 per cent. Sterling exchange firm, with actual business in bankers' bills at 487¾ for demand and 485¼@485¾ for 60 days. Posted rates 486 and 488½. Commercial bills 484¼@485 Silver certificates — Bar silver 58¾. Mexican dollars 46 Government bonds steady. State bonds inactive. Railroad bonds weak. U. S. refunding 2's, reg'd, 107¾; U. S. refu'g 2's, coupon, 107¾; U. S. 3's, reg'd, —; U. S. 3's, reg'd, 108¼; do. coupon, 108¼; U. S. 4's, new reg'd, 137; do. coupon, 137; U. S. 4's, old reg'd, 113; do. coupon, 113; U. S. 5's, reg'd, 107¾; do. coupon, 107¾. Southern Railway 5's 116¾. Stocks: Baltimore & Ohio 94½; Chesapeake & Ohio 43¾; Manhattan L 115¾; N. Y. Central 150; Reading 39¼; do. 1st pref'd 75¼; do. 2nd pref'd 50; St. Paul 155¾; do. pref'd, 181; Southern R'way 28¾; do. pref'd 83; Amalgama'd Copper 110¾; American Tobacco 130; People's Gas 112¾; Sugar 130¾; T. C. & Iron 58¾; U. S. Leather 12¾; do. pref'd, 78¾; Western Union 90; U. S. Steel 40; do. preferred 89¾; Mexican National 8¾. Standard Oil 770@775.

BALTIMORE, Aug 5.—Seaboard Air Line, common, 37½@37¾; do. preferred, 47¾@47¼. Bonds—4's 83@83¼.

## NAVAL STORES MARKETS

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Aug. 5.—Rosin quiet. Spirits turpentine steady at 36@36½c.

CHARLESTON, Aug. 5.—Spirits turpentine steady at 33c Rosin firm and unchanged.

SAVANNAH, Aug. 5. Spirits turpentine firm at 34c; receipts 1,398 casks; sales 548 casks; exports 552 casks. Rosin firm and unchanged; receipts 4,186 barrels; sales 2,203 barrels; exports 3,354 barrels.

## COTTON MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star

NEW YORK, August 5.—Cotton futures opened dull with prices five to six points lower and during the forepart of the session were weak in tone with prices disposed to further ease off, under selling on this account and absence of support of any sort. There were no cables on hand from Liverpool, that market still being closed for the August bank holidays. Early domestic news was rather matter of fact and cut little figure as an influence either way. The pit contingent was inclined to anticipate a bearish report from Washington due at noon and sold the October and January options down slowly. At noon the feeling was heavy, with prices net three to five points lower. The general opinion seemed to be that the average crop condition would be given out by the bureau at about 78 to 79. Immediately after noon the government gave the August crop condition at 77.2. This at once started shorts in inviting buying for a sharp advance. Southern and Western buyers helped to send prices up ten points to 7 39 for October and to 7.45 for January. Around this level there was a turn for profits which resulted in a reaction of three to four points before 1 P. M. Still later, the market again worked upward, though slowly, until prices were close to the top notch reached on the noon bulge. The market was finally quiet and steady with prices net two to three points higher.

NEW YORK, Aug. 5.—Cotton quiet; middling uplands 8 1-16c.

Futures closed quiet and steady: August 7.26, September 7.30, October 7 36, November 7.37, December 7.40, January 7.43, February 7.43, March 7.46, April 7 48.

Spot cotton closed quiet; middling uplands 8 1-16c; middling gulf 8 5 16c; sales 147 bales.

Net receipts 377 bales; gross receipts 1,390 bales; stock 170,272 bales.

Total to-day—Net receipts 2,286 bales; exports to Great Britain 134 bales; exports to France — bales; exports to the Continent 1,330 bales; stock 333,919 bales.

Consolidated—Net receipts 5,162 bales; exports to Great Britain 5,440 bales; exports to France — bales; exports to the Continent 8,878 bales.

Total since September 1st.—Net receipts 7,449,334 bales; exports to Great Britain 3,007,217 bales; exports to France 738,589 bales; exports to the Continent 3,554,005 bales.

August 5—Galveston, steady at 8 1-16c, net receipts 778 bales; Norfolk, steady at 7¾c, net receipts 301 bales; Baltimore, nominal at 8¼c, net receipts — bales; Boston, quiet at 8 1-16c, net receipts — bales; Wilmington, nominal at 8¼c, net receipts 26 bales; Philadelphia, quiet at 8 5-16c, net receipts — bales; Savannah, quiet at 7¾, net receipts 6 bales; New Orleans, firm at 8 1-16c, net receipts 76 bales; Mobile, firm at 8c, net receipts 5 bales; Memphis, quiet at 8c, net receipts 5 bales; Augusta, quiet at 8¼c, net receipts 45 bales; Charleston, steady at 7¾c, net receipts 24 bales.

## PRODUCE MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Aug. 5.—Flour was fairly active and a shade firmer with wheat; Minnesota patents $3 75@4 00; winter straights $3 30@3 50. Wheat—Spot firm; No. 2 red 77½c. Options closed firm at ¼@1c net advance. September closed 76c; October closed —c; December closed 77¾c. Corn—Spot steady; No. 2, 61¼c. Options closed steady at ¼@¾c net advance. September closed 61¾c; October closed —c; December closed 62c. Oats—Spot firm; No. 2, 39c. Options quiet but steady with other markets. Lard steady; Western steamed $9 05; refined easy. Pork quiet. Butter steady; creamery 16@20¼c; State dairy 14@19c. Cheese steady; fancy small white 9¼@9¾c; fancy large white 9½c. Eggs steady; State and Pennsylvania 16@18c. Rice quiet. Coffee—Spot Rio dull; No. 7 invoice 5½c. Potatoes quiet; Jerseys $3 00@4 00; Southern prime, $3 00@4 00; Long Island $3 00@4 50. Peanuts steady; fancy hand-picked 4¼c; other domestic 2¾@4c. Freights to Liverpool—Cotton by steam 10c. Cabbage steady; Long Island, small, per 100, $2 00@2 50. Sugar—Raw quiet and steady; fair refining 3 9-16c; molasses sugar 3 5-16c; refined quiet. Cotton seed oil quiet but steady with considerable oil on the market: Prime crude, in barrels nominal; prin e summer yellow 38½@39c; off summer yellow 37@37½c; prime white 43c; prime winter yellow 43c; prime meal $24 00@25 00

CHICAGO, Aug 5.—Conditions generally were bullish to-day and September wheat closed an active day 1⅛c net higher. Corn closed ⅛c higher and oats a shade down. Provisions at the close were 2½@10c down.

CHICAGO, Aug. 5.—Cash quotations: Flour quiet. Wheat—No. 2 spring 70½@71c; No. 3 spring —; No. 2 red —. Corn—No. 2 56¾c; No. 2 yellow 56¾. Oats—No. 2 35¼@36c; No. 2 white 37¾@38c; No. 3 white 36¾@37¼c. Rye—No. 2 57@57½c. Mess pork, per barrel, $14 10@14 15. Lard, per 100 lbs, $8 72½ 8 75. Short rib sides, loose, $7 85@8 00. Dry salted shoulders, boxed, $7 37½@7 62½. Short clear sides, boxed, $8 35@8 45. Whiskey—Basis of high wines, $1 29.

The leading futures ranged as follows—opening, highest, lowest and closing: Wheat—No. 2 August 68¾, 69¾, 69⅝, 6¾c; September 69¼@69¾, 70¾, 68¾@68¾, 70¾c; December 71¾@71¾, 73¾, 71¼, 73¼c. Corn—No. 2 September 57¾@57¾, 58¼, 56¾, 57¾c; October 58¾, 58¾, 57¾, 58¼; December 58¾@59, 59¾, 58, 58¾c. Oats—No. 2 September 35, 35¼, 34¾, 35c; May 37¾, 38¼, 38¾, 37¾. Pork, per bbl—September $14 30, 14 30, 14 17½, 14 17½; January $15 15, 15 15, 14 97½, 14 97½. Lard, per 100 lbs—September $8 80, 8 80, 8 72½, 8 75; October $8 85, 8 87½, 8 80, 8 80; January $8 85, 8 87½, 8 80, 8 80. Short ribs per 100 lbs—September $7 92½, 7 97½, 7 92½, 7 92½; October $7 95, 8 02½, 7 95, 7 95; January $7 85, 7 90, 7 80, 7 80.

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EXPORTS.

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COASTWISE.

NEW YORK—Clyde steamship Saginaw, 549 casks spirits, 29 barrels rosin, 1,073 barrels tar, 37 barrels crude, 347,654 feet lumber; cargo by various consignors; vessel by H G Smallbones.

## MARINE DIRECTORY.

List of Vessels in the Port of Wilmington, N. C., August 6, 1901.

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Mary J Russell, 354 tons, Anderson, by master.

Chas C Lister, 367 tons, Robinson, New York, George Harriss, Son & Co.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Naval Stores and Cotton Yesterday.

W. & W. Railroad—10 barrels tar, 8 barrels crude turpentine.

W. C. & A. Railroad—14 bales cotton, 2 casks spirits turpentine, 4 barrels rosin, 22 barrels tar, 77 barrels crude turpentine.

C. C. Railroad—43 barrels crude turpentine.

A. & Y. Railroad—16 casks spirits turpentine, 6 barrels tar.

W. & N. Railroad—12 bales cotton, 7 casks spirits turpentine, 13 barrels rosin, 10 barrels crude turpentine.

Steamer Driver—21 casks spirits turpentine, 59 barrels rosin, 88 barrels tar, 38 barrels crude turpentine.

Schooner Minnie Ward—13 casks spirits turpentine, 79 barrels rosin 2 barrels tar.

Total—96 bales cotton, 59 casks spirits turpentine, 155 barrels rosin, 125 barrels tar, 176 barrels crude turpentine.


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## FLIGHT OF A BULLET

HOW AN ARMY OFFICER SOLVED A SHOOTING MYSTERY.

**He Surprised the Detectives by Working Out the Trajectory of the Missile and Locating the Spot From Which It Was Fired.**

Some of the detectives were chatting together at headquarters the other night and spinning yarns to pass away an idle half hour or so, and one who had been holding forth on the peculiar ways in which the source of bullet shots coming from an unseen direction were traced told the following story:

"I was down in Hot Springs, Ark., once when a very peculiar accident happened to a policeman there. He was, more properly speaking, an applicant for admission on the force and was undergoing a physical examination. They had him standing up against the wall and had just adjusted the measuring machine to take his height when, zip, Mr. Policeman clapped his hands to his right eye and fell all in a heap. He was picked up almost unconscious, and an examination disclosed the fact that he had been hit just above the eye by a partially spent bullet, which had fallen to the floor with him.

"We doctored him up and found him only slightly hurt, but everybody was wondering where in the world that bullet had come from. No shot had been heard, and no shooting affray had been reported all that day, but there was a young army officer at the reservation there who was pretty well known as an engineer in the artillery arm of the service. He heard of the queer happening and became interested in the case. He came down to headquarters next day and had a talk with Chief ——, and the upshot of it was that he was given permission to work on the affair, as he said he was sure he could locate the exact spot whence the shot came.

"The first thing he did was to examine the measuring machine, and he found it just as it was left when the prospective policeman had been bowled over, so he had him get under the bar again and stand just as he had stood the day before. When he had rigged up his own machine, he got the exact altitude of the place where the ball struck and the direction of the bullet in the wound. I can't give you the technical description, but he worked at his instruments and worked at his paper and finally told us he was going to ascertain the trajectory of the bullet in its flight. He weighed the bullet and measured it also to a hair's breadth and planted his machine so that his needle would be exactly in the spot where the wound would have been in the policeman's head had he stood there. I forgot to say the bullet had evidently come through the window opposite, and outside was a perspective of house tops, with the ridge of mountains away to the back of them.

"Of course we were all mighty curious and a whole lot skeptical, but the military chap kept his mouth shut and worked away nearly all day. Finally toward dusk he jumped up and put on his coat and told the chief to follow him. You can wager we all did, and those fellows who were on duty were awfully sore because they couldn't go.

"'Do you see that tall house behind the waterworks?' said the officer.

"'Yes,' said we.

"'Well, do you see the white house to the right? Now do you see the edge of that shanty lying up under the hillside about half way up?'

"We saw it and told him so.

"'All right,' said he; 'that's where the bullet came from. If it didn't, I'll set up the dinners down at the Park House.'

"Well, you may believe we all struck the road pretty quick, even if some of us did doubt him, for we wanted to get that dinner. It took us half an hour to make the place, having to do a deal of twisting about, and at last we came to the shanty. The shanty belonged to an old fellow who was a unique fellow and lived there all alone, and he was suspected of having a stocking full of gold hidden somewhere, but none of us was prepared for the sight we beheld when the chief opened the door. There was the old fellow lying prone on the floor and moaning faintly. We went up and examined him, and there was blood all over his clothes and a bullet hole in his neck.

"The army chap felt sorry, I guess, but he didn't look it, but we all set about bringing the old fellow around, and when we had removed him down the hillside to a neighbor's house he rallied all right under the physician and told us his tale. He said he had been set upon by 'Big Mike,' a notorious gambler and desperado of the Springs, who had been away to the races at Memphis and had come back broke just a couple of days before.

"The old man said he had found him in his shanty rummaging among the mattresses and when discovered had drawn a revolver and let him have it. The first shot missed, but the second put a ball through the muscles of the old man's neck, and he was almost dead from loss of blood when we found him. To corroborate the old man's story a .34 caliber Colt revolver was found in the bushes outside, and this was the same caliber as the ball that had hit the policeman. The army chap didn't set up the dinner that night, but the chief did, and you can put it down that we didn't make any more fun of that West Point graduate and his mathematical instruments and trajectories after that. He owned the whole town, or would have if he'd wanted to."—New York Mail and Express.

### AN AMBUSCADE.

**Danger In Kissing Your Wife at the Wrong Time.**

"You must have been trying to eat a buzzsaw in motion," said the friend to the man who hasn't been married long.

"Not as bad as that, but nearly," he responded as he tenderly rubbed the scars that adorned his mouth and chin.

"Been seeing how far you could slide on your face?" asked the friend anxiously.

"No. Say, for heaven's sake, if you will say nothing to any one I will tell you how it happened. You know my wife and I have been married just long enough to have most of the gloss rubbed off from the honeymoon. In fact, we have arrived at that point where we take things as a matter of course and realize that there are others in this world as well as ourselves.

"Well, the other morning it suddenly dawned upon me that I hadn't kissed her for a whole week, and my conscience smote me. Even now, I told myself, she may be crying her eyes out under the impression that I love her no longer. I remembered how we had promised each other during our honeymoon that our married life would be one long, sweet dream, with the honeymoon as a basis. I chided myself for my indifference and determined to make amends at once.

"Well, I looked my wife up and found her in her room doing up her hair before a mirror. Stepping quickly forward, with all the ardor of my courtship days, I threw my arm about her and planted a kiss upon her lips—at least such was my intention, but instead I ran my mouth into a bristling array of hairpins that she had stuck between her lips. If there were any doubts before about the honeymoon being over, there was none when the lady got her mouth free of hairpins and said what she had to say on the subject.

"The next time I kiss my wife I am going to reconnoiter the field in force before attacking."—Detroit Free Press.

**In Broad Scotch.**

Interviewed on behalf of The Leader, Mr. Gardner said his Testament in braid Scotch—or braid Scots, as the pedant has it—which is still only in MS. would not be in the Glasgow or Paisley Scotch of the present day, but would more resemble Burns. It would not be archaic, but neither would it be corrupt. "Here, for instance, is the Lord's Prayer," said Mr. Gardner:

"Faither o' us a', bidin Aboon! Thy name be holie! Lat thy reign begin! Lat thy wull be dune, baith in yirth and heeven! Gie us ilka a day oor needfu' feuding! And forgie us a' oor ill deeds, as we een forgae thae wha did us ill! And lat us no be siftit, but save us frae the ill ane. For the croon is thine ain and the micht and the glorie forevir and evir, amen!"—London Leader.

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A merchant of considerable importance at home, a man of refined tastes and good education, was called to Europe to conduct personally a negotiation which, if successful, would, he believed, add very largely to his business and yield handsome profits. Being but imperfectly versed in the language of the country and knowing little of its laws, he asked of the congressman from his district a letter of introduction to our consul in the city to which his business would carry him. Thus armed, the merchant arrived in due season at his destination and presented himself at the consulate.

The consul was absent, exactly where the clerk could not say. When he was to return also was not known. Finally, after considerable persistence, the information was elicited that a letter addressed to the care of certain bankers would reach him. No one else would do, the merchant thought. At any rate he did not fancy the appearance of shiftlessness of those about the consulate, while the scant courtesy which had been extended to him was irritating. So he telegraphed to the bankers and got the consul's address. Letters passed, but the consul showed no disposition to return. Indeed, at last he frankly confessed that he had learned through press dispatches and the letter of an indignant friend that the new administration at Washington had appointed his successor and said that under the circumstances he could hardly be expected to sacrifice himself unnecessarily. If the merchant would call on M. T., an advocate of some local reputation, he would find him trustworthy.

A month went by. M. T. appeared to be doing his best, but the negotiations did not bear fruit. At the end of the second month the new consul came, and the merchant made haste to seek his assistance. This official was described as "a large, thick set man, with the face of a retired bartender and an offensive fashion of chewing tobacco," if tobacco can be chewed offensively. He seemed to be impressed with the importance of his office and assumed a manner intended to be dignified, but which was, in fact, pompous or insulting, as occasion prompted. Unfortunately he attempted to befriend the merchant, whom he knew by reputation, but thereby only hindered the negotiations. He spoke no foreign language, affected to despise all save his own, and that was quite peculiarly his own.

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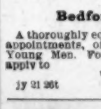

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| Ar Portsmouth | | 4.30 p m |
| Ar Norfolk | 7.00 a m | 5.50 p m |
| Lv Hamlet | 10.55 p m | 8.00 a m |
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DAILY except Sunday 2.25 P. M — No. 50—Passenger—Due Jacksonville 4.15 P. M., Newbern 5.40 P. M.

SOUTH BOUND.

DAILY 2.45 P. M. — No. 55—Passenger—Due Lake Waccamaw 4.58 P. M., Chadbourn 5.30 P. M., Marion 6.40 P. M., Florence 7.25 P. M., Sumter 9.12 P. M., Columbia 10.35 P. M., Denmark 5.55 A. M., Augusta 7.55 A. M., Macon 11.15 A. M., Atlanta 12.35 P. M., Charleston 11.15 P. M., Savannah 2.45 A. M., Jacksonville 6.30 A. M., Ar Palatka 10.50 A. M., Tampa 10.00 P. M.

WEST BOUND.

DAILY 9.00 A. M. — No. 53—Passenger—Due Fayetteville 12.05 P. M., leaves Fayetteville 12.20 P. M., arrives Sanford 1.42 P. M.

ARRIVALS AT WILMINGTON—FROM THE NORTH.

DAILY 6.15 P. M. — No. 49—Passenger—Leave Boston †1.30 P. M., New York †5.00 P. M. Philadelphia 10.00 A. M., Baltimore 8.50 A. M., Washington 4.30 A. M., Richmond 9.00 A. M., Petersburg 9.43 A. M., Norfolk 9.00 A. M., Weldon 11.50 A. M., Tarboro 12.21 P. M. Rocky Mount 12.53 P. M. Wilson 2.40 P. M., Goldsboro 3.05 P. M. Warsaw 4.05 P. M., Magnolia 4.40 P. M.

DAILY 9.25 A. M. — No. 41—Passenger—Leave Boston 12 night, New York 8.55 A. M., Philadelphia 11.33 A. M., Baltimore 1.46 P. M., Washington 2.12 P. M., Richmond 6.37 P. M., Petersburg 7.45 P. M., †Norfolk 3.30 P. M., Weldon 9.10 P. M., †Tarboro 6.48 P. M., Rocky Mount 8.15 A. M. Leave Wilson 5.37 A. M., Goldsboro 6.45 A. M., Warsaw 7.59 A. M., Magnolia 8.38 A. M.

DAILY except Sunday 12.15 P. M. — No. 51—Passenger—Leave Newbern 9.00 A. M., Jacksonville 10.30 A. M. Sunday 12.15 P. M.

FROM THE SOUTH.

DAILY 1.25 P. M. — No. 54—Passenger—Leave Tampa 8.00 A. M., Sanford 2.23 P. M., Jacksonville 8.00 P. M., Savannah 1.37 A. M., Charleston 6.45 A. M., Atlanta 7.50 A. M. Macon 9.00 A. M., Augusta 4.30 P. M., Denmark 6.20 P. M., Columbia 8.40 A. M., Sumter 8.05 P. M., Florence 9.55 A. M., Marion 10.25 A. M., Chadbourn 11.41 A. M., Lake Waccamaw 12.13 A. M.

EAST BOUND

DAILY 7.15 P. M. — No. 52—Passenger—Leave Sanford 3.05 P. M., arrive Fayetteville 4.30 P. M., leave Fayetteville 4.30 P. M.

Bennettsville Branch—Train leaves Bennettsville 8.10 A. M. Maxton 8.55 A. M., Red Springs 9.22 A. M., Parkton 10.02 A. M., arrive Fayetteville 11.10 A. M. Returning leaves Fayetteville 4.45 P. M., Hope Mills 5.00 P. M., Red Springs 5.43 P. M., Maxton 6.16 P. M., arrives Bennettsville 7.15 P. M.

Connections at Fayetteville with No. 75, at Maxton with the Carolina Central Railroad, at Red Springs with the Red Springs and Bowmore Railroad, at Sanford with the Seaboard Air Line and Southern Railway, at Gulf with the Durham and Charlotte Railroad.

Train between Rocky Mount and Richmond leaves Rocky Mount 7.15 A. M., arrive Weldon 8.17 A. M., arrive Petersburg 10.18 A. M., arrives Richmond 11.10 A. M.

Trains on the Scotland Neck Branch Road leave Weldon 5.55 P. M. Halifax 6.47 P. M., arrive Scotland Neck 7.08 P. M., Greenville 7.54 P. M., Kinston 8.20 P. M. Returning leaves Kinston 7.30 A. M., Greenville 8.00 A. M., arriving Halifax at 11.12 A. M., 11.20 A. M. Daily except Sunday.

Trains on Washington Branch leave Washington 8.01 A. M. and 2.30 P. M., arrive Parmele 8.55 A. M. and 4.06 P. M., returning leaves Parmele 9.35 A. M. and 7.35 P. M.; arrives Washington 11.00 A. M and 3.30 P. M. Daily except Sunday

Train leaves Tarboro, N. C., daily except Sunday, 6.30 P. M.; Sunday, 6.15 P. M.; arrives Plymouth 8.35 P. M. and 8.10 P. M. Returning, leaves Plymouth daily except Sunday, 7.30 A. M. and Sunday 9.00 A. M.; arrive Tarboro 9.50 A. M. and 11.50 A. M.

Trains leave Goldsboro daily except Sunday 5.10 A. M., arriving Smithfield 6.10 A. M. Returning leaves Smithfield 7.00 A. M., arrives at Goldsboro 8.25 A. M.

Train on Nashville Branch leave Rocky Mount at 9.00 A. M. 3.40 P. M.; arrive Nashville 10.30 A. M., 4.08 P. M., Spring Hope 11.00 A. M., 4.35 P. M. Returning, leaves Spring Hope 11.30 A. M., 4.55 P. M., Nashville 11.45 A. M.; 5.25 P. M. arrives at Rocky Mount 12.10 A. M. 6.00 P. M. Daily except Sunday.

Train on Clinton Branch leaves Warsaw for Clinton, daily, except Sunday, 11.00 A. M. and 4.25 P. M. Returning, leaves Clinton 6.45 A. M. and 2.50 P. M.

Train leaves Pee Dee 10.13 A. M., arrive Latta 10.31 A. M., Dillon 10.42 A. M., Rowland 10.58 A. M. Returning, leaves Rowland 4.10 P. M.; arrives Dillon 6.31 P. M. Latta 6.44 P. M., Pee Dee 7.06 P. M., daily.

Trains on Conway Branch leave Chadbourn 11.50 A. M.; arrive Conway 1.30 P. M.; returning leave Conway 2.40 P. M. arrive Chadbourn 5.30 P. M., leave Chadbourn 5.35 P. M.; arrive Elrod 8.10 A. M., returning leave Elrod 8.40 A. M., arrive Chadbourn 11.25 A. M. Daily except Sunday.

Trains leave Sumter 5.08 P. M., Manning 5.43 P. M.; arrive Lane's 6.28 P. M.; leave Lane's 8.37 A. M., Manning 9.17 A. M.; arrive Sumter 9.50 A. M., Daily.

Georgetown and Western Railroad leave Lane's 8.40 A. M. †7.00 P. M.; arrive Georgetown 10 A. M., †8.20 P. M.; leave Georgetown 5.30 A. M.; †4.15 P. M.; arrive Lane's 8.00 A. M.; †8.35 P. M.

Trains leave Florence daily except Sunday at 9.50 A. M.; arrive Darlington 10.15 A. M., Hartsville 9.15 P. M., Cheraw 11.30 A. M., Wadesboro 12.35 P. M.; leave Florence daily except Sunday at 8.00 P. M.; arrive Darlington 8.25 P. M., Bennettsville 9.22 P. M., Gibson 10.20 P. M. Leave Florence Sunday only 9.50 A. M., arrive Darlington 10.15 A. M.

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# The Morning Star.

WILMINGTON, N. C.

TUESDAY MORNING, AUGUST 6.


## COTTON CROPS' CONDITION.

**Below the Average in Texas, Louisiana, Arkansas, Tennessee, Georgia, Alabama and the Carolinas.**

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 5.—The monthly report of the statistician of the Department of Agriculture shows the average condition of cotton on July 25th to have been 77.2, as compared with 81.1 on the 25th of the preceding month, 76 on August 1, 1900, 64 on August 1, 1899, and a ten year average of 84.

There was an improvement of condition during July amounting to six points in Georgia, five points in South Carolina, two in Alabama and Mississippi and eight in Virginia. On the other hand, there was a decline of nineteen points in Missouri, fifteen in Arkansas and Tennessee, thirteen in Oklahoma and Indian Territory, twelve in Texas, seven in Florida, four in North Carolina and two in Louisiana.

The impairment in condition is largely due to drought, but in a portion of the eastern section of the cotton belt it is attributable to the prevalence of excessive rain during a large part of the month. While the condition in Mississippi is five points above the State's ten year average, every other State reports a condition below such average, Virginia being one, Louisiana two, Alabama three, Texas seven, Georgia eight, South Carolina and Florida nine, North Carolina twelve, Arkansas, Tennessee and Mississippi sixteen points below their respective ten year averages.

The average of condition in the different States is reported as follows: Virginia, 86; North Carolina, 73; South Carolina, 75; Georgia, 78; Florida, 79; Alabama, 82; Mississippi, 88; Louisiana, 82; Texas, 74; Arkansas, 69; Tennessee, 70; Missouri, 71; Oklahoma, 78; Indian Territory, 73.

## SUCCESSHR OF AGUINALDO.

**Miguel Malvar Issues a Proclamation to the Filipino Insurgents.**

By Cable to the Morning Star.

MANILA, August 5.—Miguel Malvar, who has been recognized as the successor of Aguinaldo by the Filipino junta at Hong Kong, has issued a proclamation, dated July 18th, copies of which arrived here this morning, giving assurances to the natives of the continuation of an active campaign and expressing hope for its successful issue. The proclamation, of which fifty thousand copies have been printed, purports to emanate from Batangas. It is a characteristic insurgent document, charging the Americans with all sorts of atrocities. It recounts the losses of guns and ammunition and the death of four distinguished American officers, July 10th, all of which it says the authorities concealed. The proclamation threatens General Callies with death for treachery and warns all Filipinos who surrender that they will never be able to live outside the American lines. Malvar claims he has sufficient arms and supplies to continue the war indefinitely.

## A FATAL AFFRAY.

**W. J. Ligon Shot and Killed David L. Shelton at Jackson, Miss.**

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

JACKSON, MISS., Aug. 5.—W. J. Ligon, sanitary inspector of Jackson, to-night shot and killed David L. Shelton. The shooting occurred on the principal street of the city and caused much excitement. The men had quarrelled earlier in the day, it is said, over an inspection and engaged in a personal altercation. Shelton, it is said, returned to the attack with a stick, when Ligon pulled a revolver and shot him through the heart. Both men are prominently connected, Shelton marrying the daughter of the late Congressman McKee while in camp at Chattanooga during the Spanish-American war.

## FIRE AT KANSAS CITY.

**Exposition Building Erected in 1897 Destroyed—It Cost Over $200,000.**

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

KANSAS CITY, MO., Aug. 5.—The exposition building, erected during the boom of 1887, costing over $300,000, was destroyed by fire this afternoon. A boy among a crowd which had gathered to watch a large circus that had pitched its tents across the street set fire in a spirit of mischief to some loose rubbish on the floor. In a moment the flames had leaped beyond control, spreading almost instantly throughout the whole building, which occupied half a block square. No one was injured. The efforts of the firemen were directed to saving the surrounding residence property.

## RAIN IN TEXAS.

**First of Any Consequence in the Drought Section Since Last May.**

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

DALLAS, TEXAS, Aug. 5—The first rain of any consequence that Dallas and vicinity has had since last May fell to-day. The rainfall appears to have been general over an area extending approximately one hundred miles in all directions from this city.

This is the section of the great Texas cotton belt that has had the least rain this season and it is here the drought has been most severe.

A paper was placed in circulation yesterday among the cotton manufacturers of Fall River, Mass., looking toward a general reduction in wages of 15 per cent. If the reduction is agreed to it will go into effect September 3d and will involve 25,000 operatives.


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# STEEL WORKERS' GREAT STRIKE.

**A Faint Glimmer of Hope That the Trouble May Yet be Adjusted.**

## GENERAL STRIKE DELAYED.

**Ten Days' Notice Given Three Companies of the Steel Corporation That Their Men Will be Called Out Unless the Difficulty is Settled.**

By Telegraph to the Morning Star

PITTSBURG, Aug. 5.—Just a faint glimmer of hope that the great steel workers' strike will be settled was embodied in a statement given out by President Shaffer of the Amalgamated Association to-night. When asked if he would pursue the same policy in ordering a strike in the mills of the Federal Steel, the National Steel, and the National Tube companies as he did in calling out the men in the mills of the American Tin Plate Company, he replied:

"If it had not been for this determination on my part, the general strike would have been ordered on Saturday night."

Before calling out the tin workers, and after failing to get any satisfaction from the officials of the American Sheet and the American Steel Hoop Company, President Shaffer sent a telegram to Vice-President Warner Arms, of the American Tin Plate Company, notifying him that under Article 19, Section 35, of the constitution of the Amalgamated Association he would be obliged to call out the tin workers in all of the mills owned by the United States Steel Corporation unless the difficulty was settled within a period of ten days. As a result of this notice, Mr. Arms succeeded in getting together another conference and a vain attempt was made to settle the dispute and prevent a strike which would involve the tin mills. That conference was the one that broke up in the Hotel Lincoln three weeks ago last Saturday.

In order to be equally fair to the other constituent companies of the United States Steel Corporation and accord them the same treatment, President Shaffer has sent a similiar notice to the officers of the Federal Steel Company, the National Steel Company and the National Tube Company, giving them the same time in which to make any effort they may desire to bring about a settlement, or he will put in force this same clause in the Amalgamated Association constitution. It is presumed that the delay in issuing the general order will be at least until the end of the present week. Possibly, it will not be issued until early next week. In the meantime, the men in the mills of these three companies will be prepared to come out when the strike order is issued.

The possibility of a settlement of the strike is based on the bare hope that officials of the three additional companies will bring to bear sufficient influence to urge an adjustment of the difficulties before the strike order is issued. President Shaffer did not express any hope that this would be done nor did he even discuss the matter, but the inference was quickly seen that there was such a probability in sight. It is faint though, and but little interest was taken in it in the general offices of the association.

**Situation at the Mills.**

The strike history of the day in Pittsburg itself is not prolific of results; considerable, however, was doing in the towns surrounding. In Pittsburg, all of the idle mills are in the same condition as before the failure of the conference to settle the strike, and no apparent move is being made by the manufacturers to start the mills; consequently there has been no break in the strikers' ranks.

The most important strike points to night seem to be Leechburg and Wellsville, with McKeesport a possible trouble centre. From Leechburg this telegram was received:

"At 4 o'clock this afternoon Hyde Park mill, which has been idle since the first of this year, was started. E. S. Parguy, manager of the American Steel Association, Harry Davis, district superintendent, and Robert Lock, local manager, were on the ground. At 3:45 this afternoon a train arrived at Hyde Park coming from Saltsburg, Vandergrift and Apollo. The train stopped at the works, and fifty men, clad in working garb and carrying dinner buckets, left the train and hurried into the works. There was no excitement, and the mill owners and managers to-night claim they have enough men in the mill to operate it. Sentinels are out and no one is allowed to get into the mill without a password. This afternoon late six mill men from Leechburg sauntered down toward the mill, passed the guard and walked into the mills, where tonight they are at work. This makes sixty-one men now employed at the works. By outsiders it is claimed that this number cannot operate the mill in full, but however this may be, the mill is running to-night in good shape.

**Making Desperate Efforts.**

The Amalgamated men, however, are on the ground making desperate efforts to keep all union men out. They make the bold assertion that in two days after President Shaffer issues his general strike order, not a wheel will be turning in either Vandergrift, Apollo or Hyde Park mill.

From Wellsville, O., the following report is made:

"The last four of the striking steel workers who were arrested Saturday, charged with riot, were released from jail late this afternoon upon bail. There are warrants yet in the hands of the police for seventeen more of the strikers, which have not been served. The officers, for some reason, seem to be afraid to serve the warrants. Henry B. Henderson, a potter, for whom the police have a warrant, has been trying to get himself in the way of the officers all day, to have them arrest him, but they will not do it for the reason that Henderson is backed by the National Brotherhood of operative potters, and the officers fear the vengeance of the potters, once they are aroused, as they would be if one of their number were put under arrest.

## COURT OF INQUIRY.

**Successor to Admiral Kimberly Not Yet Announced.**

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 5.—Admiral Dewey, president of the Schley court of inquiry, was at the Navy Department this morning, in consultation with Acting Secretary Hackett. The admiral will leave shortly for the North for a month's rest.

The successor to Admiral Kimberly on the court has not been announced at the Navy Department.


Johnson's great special sale will be continued this week. †


# DOWAGER EMPRESS FREDERICK OF GERMANY.

**Died Yesterday Evening After a Lingering Illness of Cancer—Emperor William at Her Bedside.**

By Cable to the Morning Star.

CRONBERG, August 5.—The Dowager Empress died at 6 15 o'clock this evening. The death of the Dowager Empress was somewhat sudden. At 4 o'clock her physicians reported no change in her condition. Emperor William and her majesty's other child and the Empress Augusta Victoria were in the sick room most of the day. They were all around the bedside when the Dowager Empress passed away quietly. Professors Renvers and Spielhagan also were in the room. The flag on the castle was immediately half-masted.

At 8 o'clock this evening Emperor William conducted the members of the Dowager Empress' household into the death chamber, and led them, one by one, past the bedside, to take a last farewell of their mistress.

LONDON, Aug. 5.—The news of the death of the Dowager Empress Frederick spread slowly in London. The Associated Press gave Buckingham Palace, Marlborough House and the Mansion House the first information that her majesty had passed away. As all members of the royal family and many of the officials are out of town for the holidays, it is probable that no official recognition of her majesty's death will be issued before morning. The bells of St. Paul's cathedral will be tolled when Home Secretary Ritchie officially informs the lord mayor of the death of the Dowager Empress. The officials of the German embassy had not officially heard the news at 7:30 P. M. Their colleagues at The Hague, on the other hand, received the news of the death of the Dowager Empress before it had occurred and half masted the legation flag at about 3 P. M. The foreign minister, and the members of the legation here, cabled the legation at The Hague when the mistake was discovered and the half-masted flag was hastily removed.

COWES, Aug. 5.—King Edward received the official news of the death of Dowager Empress Frederick on board the royal yacht, almost simultaneously with the receipt of The Associated Press dispatch in London. The yacht's flag was immediately half-masted.

King Edward and Queen Alexandria will leave here for Marlborough House to-morrow. It is not likely they will start for Berlin until Wednesday.

The papers assert that the Dowager Empress long ago adopted her husband's motto, "Learn to suffer without complaining." She recently ordered that the public should be excluded from the grounds of Friedrichshof, saying: "The world shall not learn what I am suffering. I will not be pitied in my misfortune."

It is said that the cause of death was dropsy, accompanying the cancer. The remarkable vitality of the Dowager Empress astonished her physicians. She retained consciousness to the end. The castle grounds are now surrounded by soldiers and patrolled by hussars and mounted police.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 5.—A cablegram was received at the State Department to-day from Ambassador White, announcing the death of the Dowager Empress of Germany. The dispatch was sent to the President at Canton.

## A CHIEF OF POLICE KILLED.

**Over a Thousand People in Pursuit of a Negro Murderer Near Shelby, N. C.**

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

CHARLOTTE, N. C., Aug. 4.—A special from Shelby, N. C., to the *Observer* says that Chief of Police Jones, of that place, was shot and instantly killed by Jim Lowery, a negro employed at the South Carolina & Georgia depot, at 1 o'clock this morning. Jones, with a warrant charging Lowery with selling whiskey without a license, went to serve it. Lowery ran, firing at Jones, the bullet taking effect in the lung. Jones followed and caught him as he struck a lamp post. In the scuffle Lowery fired again, the bullet going through Jones' heart. Four bloodhounds and over a thousand people are on the negro's trail. One of the bloodhounds was shot by the fleeing negro. It is quite likely that if the negro is caught he will never reach the jail.

CHARLOTTE, N. C., Aug. 5.—People from the surrounding country poured into Shelby to-day to view the dead body of Policeman Jones, who was killed Sunday night by the negro James Lowery. The body has been embalmed and will not be buried until the dead man's brother and sister arrive from California.

Several posses, aggregating 500 armed men, are still hunting for Lowery. He is so marked as to be easily identified anywhere and it is not believed that he can escape, but so far not a trace of him has been discovered.

## TERRIFIC EXPLOSION.

**One Man Blown to Atoms and Many Others Had Narrow Escapes.**

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

BOWLING GREEN, O., Aug. 5.—A terrific explosion of nitroglycerine occurred near this city this afternoon, in which William Radabaugh, aged 22, was blown to atoms and many other persons had narrow escapes from serious injury. Radabaugh was driving a wagon loaded with 800 quarts of the explosive, and when nearing the tracks of the Cincinnati, Hamilton & Dayton road whipped up his horses to cross the tracks ahead of an approaching passenger train. The jolting exploded the stuff on the tracks and the train was stopped within a few feet of the gaping hole made by the explosion. Pieces of debris were hurled with great force against the train, but none of the fifty passengers was struck. A house occupied by Mrs. Abraham Teall and two sons was wrecked, and Mrs. Teall was seriously injured.

## THE TAMPA STRIKE.

**Some of the Leaders Seized and Sent Out of the City.**

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

TAMPA, FLA., Aug. 5.—To-night one hundred business men, in order to end the strike of Resistencia Union cigar makers, searched the streets of Tampa and seized a number of strike leaders and it is rumored that they were sent on a vessel outside the bar and to the Gulf. Excitement prevailed but no rioting occurred. It is said that an attempt was made to assemble the strike leaders in a conference and capture them all together, but the strikers heard of it and dispersed. The search through the streets followed. The rumor as to the disposition of the captured men is not fully confirmed.


Johnson's great special sale will be continued this week. †


# TWENTY OR MORE PEOPLE KILLED.

**Terrific Explosion and Fire in a Crowded Section of the City of Philadelphia.**

## TWO SCORE OR MORE INJURED

**Four or Five Buildings Were Demolished and Burned—Upper Floors of All the Houses Were Occupied by a Number of People.**

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 5.—A terrific explosion in a block of six buildings on Locust street above Tenth to-night, completely wrecked five of the structures and caused the death of from ten to twenty or more persons. Over two score of others were more or less seriously injured. Some of those taken to the hospital will die. It is estimated that at least thirty persons were in the five buildings when the explosion occurred and the exact number of dead will probably not be known for twenty-four hours. The buildings were occupied as follows:

Locust street—No. 1008, Houseman's pool and billiard rooms; 1010, Morris Rosenthal's second hand clothing store, occupied by Rosenthal, his wife and five children; 1012 William Jones, colored, restaurant, occupied by Jones and about fifteen boarders; 1014, Geo. McClemmy's grocery store, occupied by McClemmy, clerk and servant girl; 1016, Patrick Quigley's grocery store, occupied by Quigley, his wife, three children and his uncle; 1018, Albert Mountain's grocery and meat store, occupied by Mountain, mother, sister and clerk.

**Terrific Explosion.**

The explosion occurred about 9:30 o'clock. What exploded and how it happened is not known at this time, but it is believed to have been a barrel of gasolene in one of the three grocery stores. With the exception of No. 1008 the front walls of the building were blown outward into the street while the floors and the roofs were blown upward and fell straight to the ground. Almost every building in a radius of two blocks about the scene of the explosion had window panes shattered and was otherwise damaged. Every building on the opposite side of Locust street was more or less wrecked, but none of them fell.

A terrible cry went up from the ruins the moment the explosion occurred. Women, children and men, occupants of the wrecked houses, could be seen crawling from the debris, while the agonizing cries of others were heard from the wreckage. From all the surrounding buildings injured people came running and fell in the street unconscious.

**Fire Broke Out.**

To add to the horror fire broke out in the debris the moment it settled to the ground, and in less than five minutes the great pile was burning fiercely from end to end. A general alarm was turned in for fire apparatus and ambulances, and in the meantime the work of rescue was voluntarily begun by those in the neighborhood that were not injured. Here and there a person was drugged from the ruins before the fire could reach the victim, several lives being saved by this prompt work. When the firemen reached the scene the flames had made great headway and were igniting the buildings across the street. The fire, however, was soon under control, and with the exception of a small blaze here and there, the fire was extinguished in a few minutes. The work of digging away the ruins then was begun in earnest. Near the edge of the debris several colored men were taken out and sent to the hospital.

**The Work of Rescue.**

While the firemen and policemen were digging into the debris and hauling away heavy timbers in sections of the wreckage, cries were heard coming from the cellar of Mountain's grocery store. Fifty men, with rope and tackle, were immediately put to work at that point, and pulled away the roofing and flooring which had fallen into a massed heap. From the bottom of the pile, doubled up, were taken a man and a woman. The man was able to speak, but the woman was apparently dead. While the work of rescue was going on in the exploded block, hospital attendants and others made a search of all the damaged houses on the opposite side of the street, and almost a score of persons were taken to various hospitals from these places.

The Jefferson and the Pennsylvania hospitals, which are located nearest to the scene of the explosion, were soon crowded with the injured. None of those taken to the hospital has died up to midnight. Two hundred men are now at work tearing away the wreckage. The buildings containing the pool rooms, clothing store and the restaurant were three story brick structures; three other buildings were two and one-half stories.

## WARM WIRELETS.

At Savannah, Ga., last night, Jack Daly, of Wilmington, Del., and Jack Bennett, of Philadelphia, met for twenty-five rounds in the theatre. They went three rounds when Bennett fouled and Daly was given the fight.

The comptroller of the currency has appointed special Examiner William L. Yerkes receiver of the First National Bank of Austin, Texas. The bank was closed upon report of National Bank Examiner J. E. Logan, who reported it insolvent.

Miss Carry Jones, 20 years of age, daughter of ex-Governor Thomas G. Jones, of Montgomery, Ala., was run over and killed by a street car yesterday in front of the executive mansion. The accident was witnessed by the Governor.

There is no news at either the Colombian or Venezuelan legations in Washington to confirm the cabled report from Caracas that a battle had taken place between the government troops of Venezuela and the revolutionary troops under Dr. Gabrias.

Benjamin Pugh, a negro who murdered John Tiegon, a waiter in a restaurant in Brooklyn on August 23rd last year was put to death in the electric chair at Sing Sing prison yesterday. Three shocks were administered before he was pronounced dead.

Two colored and one white prisoner made their escape from the county jail at Wise, Va. One of them, John Fugate, colored, was under sentence to hang on the 23rd instant for the murder of a negro woman. The white man was captured.


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Owing to the very material advancement in the price of hay, grain and all other feed stuffs by reason of the droughts in the West, the liverymen of the city have been forced to adopt a uniform increase of rates for board for all live stock. In another column the S. P. Cowan Livery Company, Orrell & Carroll and S. J. Davis give notice to the public that on and after August 15th the charge for keeping of one horse and vehicle per month will be $14.50; saddle horses, $12.50 per month, and ponies $12.50.

**Funeral of Mr. Howard.**

The funeral of the late Mr. Thomas W. Howard was held Sunday morning at 9:30 o'clock from the late residence, No. 110½ Market street, the Rev. R B. John, presiding elder of Wilmington district M. E. church, officiating. The pallbearers were from Cherokee Tribe No. 9, Improved Order of Red Men as follows: J. C. Walton, H. H Woebse, J. D. H. Klahnder, D. S. Bender, Frank LaFella and J. H. Hewett.

**Injured in a Runaway.**

Ex-mayor John J. Fowler yesterday received a telephone message from Rocky Point telling him of a serious accident which befel his sister, Mrs. J. D. Bell, Saturday afternoon. She with her two young daughters were driving in a buggy the horse attached to which ran away and threw them from the vehicle. Friends of Mrs. Bell were inquiring anxiously of her condition yesterday.

Commissioner Yerkes, of the internal revenue, has decided that all tobacco material, including scraps, cuttings and clippings must be accounted for by a manufacturer of cigars in the condition in which it was purchased.

## BUSINESS LOCALS.

☞ NOTICES For Rent or Sale, Lost or Found, Wants, and other short Miscellaneous Advertisements inserted in this Department, in solid Nonpariel Type, for 1 cent per word each insertion; but no advertisement taken for less than 20 cents. Terms positively cash in advance.

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**Notice**—The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Eastern Carolina Piscatorial Association will be held at the office of the undersigned, room No. 7, Masonic Temple, Tuesday, August 6th, 1901, at 11 o'clock A. M. Geo. H. Howell, Secretary. jy 23 1tu

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## Capt. Grant Was Seriously Ill.

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| Leave Wilmington. | Leave Ocean View. |
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| 6 30 A. M. | 7 45 A. M. |
| 10 10 A. M. | 12 30 A. M. |
| 2 30 P. M. | 3 45 P. M. |
| 6 10 P. M. | 6 00 P. M. |
| 7 15 P. M. | 10 00 P. M. |

SUNDAY TRAIN.

| Leave Wilmington. | Leave Ocean View. |
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| 10 10 A. M. | 12 30 A. M. |
| 2 30 P. M. | 6 00 P. M. |
| 7 15 P. M. | 9 00 P. M. |

Every Friday and Saturday on account of Hotel and Club House dances extra train will leave Wilmington 11 P. M., the Beach at 12 P. M.

Freight will be carried only on the 10.10 A. M. and 5 P. M. trains, except fresh meats, ice and vegetables, which will be taken on the 6.30 train. No goods will be received unless accompanied by way bills and Freight Prepaid. Freight must be received at our depot 15 minutes before leaving time of train. No exceptions will be made to these rules.

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| | P. M. | 2.30, 7.00 | 1.00, 5.30, 8.30 | 12.00 M. |
| SATURDAY | A. M. | 9 15 | 7.00 | 12.00 M. |
| | P. M. | 2.30, 7.00 | 1.00, 5.30, 8.30 | 12.00 M. |
| MONDAY | A. M. | 9 15 | 7.00 | 12.00 M. |
| | P. M. | 2.30, 7.00 | 1.00, 5.30, 8.30 | 12.00 M. |
| TUESDAY | A. M. | 9 15 | 7.00 | 12.00 M. |
| | P. M. | 2.30, 7.00 | 1.00, 5.30, 8.30 | 12.00 M. |
| WEDNESDAY | A. M. | 9 15 | 7.00 | 12.00 M. |
| | P. M. | 2.30, 7.00 | 1.00, 5.30, 8.30 | 12.00 M. |
| THURSDAY | A. M. | 9 15 | 7.00 | 12.00 M. |
| | P. M. | 2.30, 7.00 | 1.00, 5.30, 8.30 | 12.00 M. |
| FRIDAY | A. M. | 9 15 | 7.00 | 12.00 M. |
| | P. M. | 2.30, 7.00 | 1.00, 5.30, 8.30 | 12.00 M. |

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## H. Hauser's Horology.

I have abandoned the sale of Jewelry and will devote my entire time to the Repairing of all kinds of Watches, Clocks, Musical Boxes, Talking Machines, etc., at reasonable prices and all work warranted. Chronometers a specialty. H. HAUSER,
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## BLACK DRESS GOODS

In this department we keep a full stock every day in the year, and we only sell such goods as we can fully guarantee in every respect. For this warm weather we have the goods to keep you cool, such as

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**We offer for this week**

**Big cut in Summer wearable**

Mention here just a few cut prices in Men and Boys' Straw Hats. Al $3.00 Straws, this season's styles, only 98c. Men's $1.00 Straws in plain and rough Straws, assorted bands, for 50c; 39c Straws, very pretty styles, 23c. Yeddo Hats, lightest weight Hat on earth, just the thing for hot weather—closing out price 10c. Boys' 75c and 50c Straws 48 and 23c.

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**Slippers and Oxfords,**

great and small, israpidly decreasing, and we are still hustling them. Our drives are pleasing everybody, and why not you. Come and see for yourself.

CEO. R. FRENCH & SONS.
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## SHOES!!!

OUR SPECIALTY.

But our other Departments are busy sending out extra Bargains. Whatever you need call on us for it, because our prices are uniform.

**We sell nothing below cost and then charge double profit on other things to make good the loss.**

Remember this. We invite everybody to call on us for cash price.

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MERCER & EVANS CO.
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## At Actual Cost or Less

**All Ladies' Oxfords--All Men's Tan Shoes**

| MEN'S TAN SHOES. | | LADIES' OXFORDS. | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Hand-Sewed, sold for $4.00, now | $3.00 to $2.25 | "The Ultra," sold for $3.00, now | $2.25 to $2.35 |
| Hand-Sewed, sold for $3.50, now | $2.50 to $4.00 | That sold for $2.00, now | $1.50 to $1.60 |
| Hand-Sewed, sold for $3.00, now | $1.95 to $2.50 | That sold for $1.50, now | $1.00 to $1.25 |
| Canvas, H. S., sold for $2.50, now | $1.60 to $2.00 | That sold for $1.25, now | $1.00 to $1.10 |
| | | That sold for $1.00, now, | 75 to 85 |

**WE MUST HAVE ROOM FOR NEW GOODS.**

Positively none sent out on approval or charged.

**SOLOMON'S SHOE STORE.**

Just received a Polish for White Shoes. an 4 tf


## Statement of the Wilmington Savings & Trust Co.

108 Princess Street, Wilmington, N. C.

At close of business, July 13th, 1901, condensed from report to Corporation Commission.

| RESOURCES. | | LIABILITIES. | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Loans and Discounts | $730,131 93 | Capital | $ 25,000 00 |
| Furniture and Fixtures | 1 00 | Profits—less expenses and taxes paid | 33,971 39 |
| Burglar Proof Safety Deposit Boxes | 1 00 | Deposits | 799,818 55 |
| Cash on hand and in banks | 68,157 01 | Depositors interest reserve—accrued interest due depositors | 3 500 00 |
| | $793,290 94 | | $793,290 94 |

J. W. NORWOOD, President. H. WALTERS, Vice President.
C. E. TAYLOR, Jr., Cashier.

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Interest at rate of 4 per cent. per annum, compounded quarterly, paid on all deposits of $3.00 to $25,000. No notice required before the withdrawal of all or any part of money deposited with us. Interest computed from first of the month succeeding date of deposit. Correspondence solicited.
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J. W. NORWOOD, Pres., ANDREW MORELAND, Cashier,
J. W. YATES, Ass't Cashier.

## Statement of the Condition of The Atlantic National Bank,

WILMINGTON, N. C.

At the close of business July 15, 1901.

| ASSETS. | | LIABILITIES. | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Loans | $1,192,177 74 | Capital | $ 125,000 00 |
| U. S. Bonds at par | 288,000 00 | Surplus and undivided profits | 141,792 80 |
| Real Estate | 53,000 00 | Circulation | 95,100 00 |
| Cash on hand and in banks | 283,977 44 | Deposits | 1,484,162 36 |
| | $1,816,055 18 | | $1,816,055 18 |

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